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Comment
Of The
DayHypocrisy in
Peking

IN one of the most blatant examples of hypocrisy and effrontery, Communist China's official newspaper the People's Daily has come out in condemnation of atomic weapons for Western Germany. Yet for the last two weeks the world's press has been full of the ideological struggle between Peking and Moscow, fomented by China's insistence that only nuclear war will finally topple the "last vestiges" of capitalism.

The West German demand is not one that its former enemies in Europe care for in view of the German record of aggression. But who can blame Adenauer or even deny the justification of his request when a belligerent China is doing its utmost to persuade Khrushchev to launch an atomic blitzkrieg to establish communism throughout the world.

THE truth is that today the world is no longer scared of a resurgence of German or Japanese militarism. And the only reason that it is not quivering before the combined might of Russia and China is that it has the means to defend itself and retaliate. And it is this balance of nuclear power that is keeping the leaders of the Kremlin from any dangerous, overt and aggressive excursions against the West.

The day China joins Moscow in a full and frank appeal for co-existence with the West and backs it with a resolution, in similar terms by its own Communist party, will also be the day the World War II Allies will oppose atomic armaments for the Germans. But as long as China persists in her demands for Russia to wave an atomic bludgeon at the West, it is ridiculous of Peking to accuse West Germany of embarking "on a mad programme of action for war."

What is Nasser
up to?

THE blast that kills Jordan's Premier Hazza Majali is a reminder to the world that peace in the Middle East is as far off as ever. Hussein blames Nasser, and who will doubt him? Most sinister is the fact that it happened when relations between Jordan and the UAR showed signs of improvement.

So the assassin's blast can only mean that a detente with Jordan does not suit the Egyptians and the Syrians. What will happen next? If Nasser is bent on the subjugation of Jordan it means two things: Hussein may be the next to go—like his cousin, Faisal of Iraq.

It would also mean that Nasser would complete his encirclement of Israel and take over hundreds of miles of combustible border land. What is even more sinister is that Nasser recently boasted that he had the greatest submarine fleet in the Med. Is he now contemplating a blockade of the Israelis?

Has the volume of Soviet aid convinced him that now is the time for a trial of strength? If so, Nasser is a greater fool than anyone imagined. The Israelis have beaten Egypt twice. They can do it a third time. Peace will not come to the Middle East until Germany accepts the fact that whether he likes it or not, Israel has come to stay.

Latest report
on monarch's
long illness

Kuala Lumpur, Sept. 1.

The condition of Malaya's paramount ruler was extremely grave, the government announced today.

The government said a further bulletin would be issued today.

A government statement said the king's wife was called to his bedside at 6.40 am with his eldest son, the regent of Selangor State.

Funku Abdul Rahman, Prime Minister and Deputy Paramount Ruler also were called to the Palace.

Diplomats were summoned to a meeting by the External Affairs department chief of protocol.

The first public knowledge that the King was in serious



KING HISAMUDDIN

condition came in early August when the government announced "anxiety" over his condition.

Doctors were at his bedside throughout the night of that announcement. Early the next day, Prime Minister Tawfik Abdul Rahman, a close friend of the Paramount Ruler was summoned. Member of the Royal Family also visited the King during the dawn hours.

Britain
orders
another
A-sub

London, Aug. 31.

The British Government has placed an order with the shipbuilding firm of Vickers-Armstrong to build a second nuclear-powered submarine. It was announced here tonight.

Rolla Royce and associates will be the contractors for the nuclear steam-raising plant.

The Queen will launch Britain's first nuclear submarine, the Dreadnought, at the Barrow-in-Furness yard of Vickers-Armstrong.

The date of that launching, October 1, will commemorate the Battle of Trafalgar, Britain's greatest sea-victory, when she defeated the Napoleon navy in 1805.

Jordan
arrests
alleged
assassin

Amman, Aug. 31.

The man who allegedly masterminded the time bomb assassination of Premier Hazza Al-Majali has been arrested, a government spokesman said today.

The spokesman gave no details about the man who locally is called "The Third Man."

But it was understood a "preliminary confession" had been obtained.

A number of other arrests by Jordanian authorities investigating last Monday's bombing of the Foreign Ministry Building have been made. But these arrests too were covered with secrecy.

King Hussein charged last night that two minor government employees planted the time bombs in the building. The explosions killed 11 people and injured 85 others.

King Hussein said the two bombers then fled to Damascus.

Informal sources said the "Third Man" was not employed by the government. They said he supplied the bombs and instructed his two assistants on how to install the bombs in the Foreign Ministry.

Government officials made it clear they will attempt to prove the "Third Man" received money and explosives from the UAR's Syrian region with the knowledge of UAR President Gamal Abdel Nasser.

Terrorist act

They said they will try to prove the bombing was a terrorist act carried out only after attempts by the UAR to organize a coup d'etat in Jordan had failed.

The UAR Ambassador to Jordan left the country on August 17. The UAR Charge d'Affaires left August 23.

Jordanian leaders will use this and other information to lay the blame for the assassination directly on President Nasser, informed sources said.

It was understood Jordan will lodge a complaint against the UAR in the United Nations if the UAR's Syrian region refuse to extradite the two bombing suspects from Damascus.

It was learned officials have prepared an official note to the UAR demanding the return of the two suspects from Damascus where, according to Jordan, they are being given asylum.

King Hussein held a lengthy cabinet meeting this morning at the exclusive Hussein Club on the outskirts of the Capital. The club had been taken over as a temporary headquarters by the New Premier, Bahjat Talhouk.



One of the last pictures taken of Jordan's Prime Minister, Hazza Majali, who was assassinated by a time bomb on August 29. The Premier is pictured with King Hussein at a recent Cabinet meeting. — AP Photo.

DEFEAT FOR
LUMUMBA'S
TROOPS

Ellisville, Aug. 31.
Kasai troops have inflicted "a major defeat" on the army of Congo Premier Patrice Lumumba.

The Kasai Premier, Mr. Joseph Ngalula of the secessionist state announced this today.

He also said his troops had recaptured the capital city of Bakwanga, a diamond centre.

Premier Ngalula said 120 Baluba soldiers, veterans of the Belgian-occupied Force Publique, took over the town of Bakwanga this afternoon.

President Lumumba's troops occupied the town without firing a shot on Friday and Premier Ngalula accused Tunisian UN forces there of helping them.

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STOCKHOLM TRADE FAIR

Brisk enquiries for
Hongkong products

Brisk enquiries were made at the Hongkong Pavilion when the St Erik's Trade Fair opened in Stockholm yesterday, according to a telegram received in Hongkong this morning.

A Government spokesman and a "dream coat" of gold announced this today.

After the opening ceremony, the Hongkong Pavilion was visited by a party of distinguished Swedish Government officials and businessmen, including the Minister of Defence, Mr. Sven Andersson, the Under-Secretary to the Royal Swedish Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Mr. Hubert de Besch and the Secretary of the Swedish Chamber of Commerce, Mr. Wilhelm Josefson.

More than 20 senior members of the Diplomatic Corps in Stockholm also visited the Hongkong Pavilion. Among them was Mr. Sidney Hebblethwaite, British Charge d'Affaires.

They were greeted by Mr. J. D. Clague, leader of the Colony's delegation to the St Erik's Fair, the Deputy Financial Secretary, Mr. J. J. Cowperthwaite, and Mr. E. G. A. Grimwood, Director of the Hongkong Government Office in London.

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CUT IN
PETROL
PRICES

Effective from this morning all three major oil companies in Hongkong have reduced their petrol prices by ten cents per imperial gallon.

Shell, Standard, and Caltex stations all over the Colony are charging \$2.55 per imperial gallon of regular grade petrol (old price \$2.65) and \$2.30 per imperial gallon of premium petrol (old price \$2.40).

There are small reductions in the prices of diesel oil for cars and kerosene.

Motor diesel oil is now selling at \$1.40 per imperial gallon as against the former price of \$1.45.

Kerosene is now \$1.50 per imperial gallon delivered as compared with the former \$1.51½.

Furnace oil and aviation fuel have remained unchanged.

Shell obtain their supply from Singapore, Borneo and Indonesia; Caltex from Bahrera Island, Arabian Sea and Persian Gulf; and Standard-Vacuum from Palembang, and Sumatra.

Spokesmen for the companies attributed the "reduction" in prices to the drop in the cost of crude oil in the Middle East as well as in the Far East producing areas.

FATHER'S
TRAGIC
DISCOVERY

Brighton, Aug. 31.

A father spent three hours adjusting the mudguard of his motorcycle combination here last night unaware that his son lay dead on the machine.

When the father finished and pulled back a rubber sheet covering the rest of the motorcycle he found the body of his son, nine-year-old Peter Upton.

Police believed Peter climbed on to the motorcycle, pulled the sheet over himself, and then played with the petrol cap, he probably died through inhaling petrol fumes.—China Mail Special.

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KING
DEAD

Kuala Lumpur Sept. 1.
Malaya's paramount ruler died today.—Router.

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BIG DEATH
TOLL IN
PUNJAB
FLOODS

New Delhi, Aug. 31.

Hundreds of thousands of acres of the southern Punjab were today under water up to 10 feet deep following torrential rains during the past few days.

More than 50 people have been killed and several more injured by house collapses.

More than 300,000 acres of crops have been inundated by water and damage has been estimated at about \$5 million.

Meanwhile, floods in Orissa state, in eastern India, have started receding.

About 26 people have been killed there and some villages completely washed away.

More than 6,400 square miles have been submerged.—Router.

NOTICE

THE HONGKONG & YAU MATI FERRY CO., LTD.

Notice to Shareholders

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of Directors have resolved to make an offer to members who on the 15th day of October, 1960, are the registered holders of the 504,000 issued shares of the Company of 252,000 unissued ordinary shares of the Company of the nominal value of \$10 each at par (such nominal value being payable in full upon application on or before the 31st day of December, 1960) so that each member of the Company or his approved nominee shall be entitled to apply for and take up one unissued ordinary share for every two of the said 504,000 issued shares then held by such member. The shares so offered shall, if accepted, rank for dividends as from the 1st day of January, 1961 (but not so as to entitle them to participate in any dividend declared in respect of the year ending 31st December, 1960) and in all other respects with the present issued ordinary shares of the Company.

No fractional certificates shall be issued, but the shares representing fractions shall be allotted to a trustee to be nominated by the Directors upon trust for sale on such conditions as they consider expedient and the net proceeds of sale (less the amount of \$10 for each share payable on acceptance) shall be distributed proportionately amongst those members who would otherwise be entitled to such fractions and in satisfaction thereof.

The offer will be made by notice sent by post to each shareholder specifying the number of shares to which each shareholder is entitled and such offer, if not accepted either on behalf of such member or his nominee, on or before the 31st day of December, 1960, will be deemed to be declined and the Directors will dispose of the said unissued ordinary shares as they think fit.

NOTICE IS ALSO HEREBY GIVEN that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the Company's Offices, Jordan Road Ferry Pier, Kowloon, on Saturday, the 15th day of October, 1960, at 12.30 p.m. for the purpose of considering, and if thought fit, passing the following Resolution:—

"That it is desirable to capitalise the sum of \$2,520,000.00 being part of the undivided profits of the Company standing at the credit of the Company's Reserve Fund and accordingly that a special Capital Bonus of \$2,520,000.00 be declared and that such bonus be applied on behalf of the persons who on the 15th day of October, 1960, were the holders of the 504,000 issued shares of the Company in payment in full for 252,000 unissued ordinary shares credited as fully paid be accordingly allotted to such persons in the proportion of one such ordinary share for every two of the said 504,000 issued shares then held by such persons respectively, and that the shares so allotted shall be treated for all purposes as an increase of the nominal amount of the Capital of the Company held by each such shareholder and not as income, and that such shares shall rank for dividend as from the 1st day of January, 1961 (but not so as to entitle them to participate in any dividend declared in respect of the year ending 31st December, 1960), and that no fractional certificates shall be issued, but that shares representing fractions shall be allotted to a trustee to be nominated by the Directors upon trust for sale on such conditions as they consider expedient, and the net proceeds of sale shall be distributed

London stocks close on the quiet side

London, Aug. 31. Stock markets gave an uninspiring performance today and generally closed with small irregular movements.

The latest industrial production figures, the overnight earnings of Wall Street and the change of the Berlin frontier were responsible for an uneasy start.

Gift-edged securities were very quiet with most prices unchanged. The success of the £12 million Surrey County issue had no effect.

The fall on Wall Street helped to depress American favourites, notably Unilevers, which fell 2½ to 194½. Other industrials closed on a mixed note after a very erratic day.

Insurance and banking shares were mixed but hire-purchase finance issues fell on Lombard's profit and loss account.

Oils moved within narrow limits and where changed eased a few pence.

Stores marked well with Woolworths rising 1½ to 78½, Marks and Spencers rose 9d to 88½.

Gold shares opened with renewed firmness but little fresh buying developed and they closed mixed.

There were easier and copiers, rubbers and teas dull.—UPI.

Closing prices

British	Transport 3½	107½/88
Consolidated	2½	44½/10
Consolidated	4½	100½/10
Consolidated	3½	105½/88
Consolidated	3½	105½/88
Consolidated	3½	105½/88
Consolidated	3½	105½/88
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NY sugar market

New York, Aug. 31. World No. 4 sugar futures today closed unchanged to two points higher on sales of 74 contracts.

Domestic No. 6 sugar futures finished a point higher to unchanged on a total of 48 sales.

Spot positions were off early in the session after the issuance of eight world delivery notices but firmed later when the notices were finally stopped.—UPI.

Exchange rates

Business was done in the local market at the following rates:	
U.S. dollar (per \$1)	6.08
Sterling (per £1)	15.02
Australian dollar (per \$1)	12.03
Indian rupee (per 100)	2.70
Singapore dollar (per \$1)	2.40
Singapore dollar (Straits)	1.81

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NOTICE is hereby given that an interim dividend of three dollars per share on the Company's issued capital has been declared in respect of the year ending 31st December, 1960.

Dividend warrants will be available for collection at the registered office of the Company, 144-148 Des Voeux Road, Central, 1st floor, Hong Kong, or will be dealt with in accordance with standing instructions, on and after 15th October, 1960.

Notice is also given that the share register of the Company will be closed from Monday, 3rd October, to Saturday, 15th October, 1960, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,
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COMMODITY PRICES

RUBBER

NEW YORK
Rex rubber futures closing prices, all in cents per lb.

Sept.	36.10
Oct.	34.20
Nov.	32.20
Dec.	32.70
Jan.	32.40
Feb.	32.10
Mar.	31.80
Apr.	31.50
May	31.20
June	30.90
July	30.60
Aug.	30.30
Sept.	30.00

SINGAPORE
Closing prices all in Straits dollars per lb. f.o.b. Malayan ports:

No. 1 Sept.	89½-90
No. 1 Oct.	87½-88½
No. 2 Sept.	87-88
No. 2 Oct.	85-86
No. 3 Sept.	85-86
No. 3 Oct.	83-84
No. 4 Sept.	83-84
No. 4 Oct.	81-82
No. 5 Sept.	81-82
No. 5 Oct.	79-80
No. 6 Sept.	79-80
No. 6 Oct.	77-78
No. 7 Sept.	77-78
No. 7 Oct.	75-76
No. 8 Sept.	75-76
No. 8 Oct.	73-74
No. 9 Sept.	73-74
No. 9 Oct.	71-72
No. 10 Sept.	71-72
No. 10 Oct.	69-70
No. 11 Sept.	69-70
No. 11 Oct.	67-68
No. 12 Sept.	67-68
No. 12 Oct.	65-66
No. 13 Sept.	65-66
No. 13 Oct.	63-64
No. 14 Sept.	63-64
No. 14 Oct.	61-62
No. 15 Sept.	61-62
No. 15 Oct.	59-60
No. 16 Sept.	59-60
No. 16 Oct.	57-58
No. 17 Sept.	57-58
No. 17 Oct.	55-56
No. 18 Sept.	55-56
No. 18 Oct.	53-54
No. 19 Sept.	53-54
No. 19 Oct.	51-52
No. 20 Sept.	51-52
No. 20 Oct.	49-50
No. 21 Sept.	49-50
No. 21 Oct.	47-48
No. 22 Sept.	47-48
No. 22 Oct.	45-46
No. 23 Sept.	45-46
No. 23 Oct.	43-44
No. 24 Sept.	43-44
No. 24 Oct.	41-42
No. 25 Sept.	41-42
No. 25 Oct.	39-40
No. 26 Sept.	39-40
No. 26 Oct.	37-38
No. 27 Sept.	37-38
No. 27 Oct.	35-36
No. 28 Sept.	35-36
No. 28 Oct.	33-34
No. 29 Sept.	33-34
No. 29 Oct.	31-32
No. 30 Sept.	31-32
No. 30 Oct.	29-30
No. 31 Sept.	29-30
No. 31 Oct.	27-28

LONDON
Closing prices all in pence per lb.

No. 1 Raw spot	29½-30½
No. 1 Raw futures	29½-30½
No. 2 Raw spot	28½-29½
No. 2 Raw futures	28½-29½
No. 3 Raw spot	27½-28½
No. 3 Raw futures	27½-28½
No. 4 Raw spot	26½-27½
No. 4 Raw futures	26½-27½
No. 5 Raw spot	25½-26½
No. 5 Raw futures	25½-26½
No. 6 Raw spot	24½-25½
No. 6 Raw futures	24½-25½
No. 7 Raw spot	23½-24½
No. 7 Raw futures	23½-24½
No. 8 Raw spot	22½-23½
No. 8 Raw futures	22½-23½
No. 9 Raw spot	21½-22½
No. 9 Raw futures	21½-22½
No. 10 Raw spot	20½-21½
No. 10 Raw futures	20½-21½
No. 11 Raw spot	19½-20½
No. 11 Raw futures	19½-20½
No. 12 Raw spot	18½-19½
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No. 23 Raw spot	7½-8½
No. 23 Raw futures	7½-8½
No. 24 Raw spot	6½-7½
No. 24 Raw futures	6½-7½
No. 25 Raw spot	5½-6½
No. 25 Raw futures	5½-6½
No. 26 Raw spot	4½-5½
No. 26 Raw futures	4½-5½
No. 27 Raw spot	3½-4½
No. 27 Raw futures	3½-4½
No. 28 Raw spot	2½-3½
No. 28 Raw futures	2½-3½
No. 29 Raw spot	1½-2½
No. 29 Raw futures	1½-2½
No. 30 Raw spot	½-1½
No. 30 Raw futures	½-1½
No. 31 Raw spot	0-½
No. 31 Raw futures	0-½

AMSTERDAM
Closing prices all in guilders per kilogram, c.i.f. Sept.

No. 1 rubber	2.75 buyers
No. 2 rubber	2.70 buyers
No. 3 rubber	2.65 buyers
No. 4 rubber	2.60 buyers
No. 5 rubber	2.55 buyers
No. 6 rubber	2.50 buyers
No. 7 rubber	2.45 buyers
No. 8 rubber	2.40 buyers
No. 9 rubber	2.35 buyers
No. 10 rubber	2.30 buyers
No. 11 rubber	2.25 buyers
No. 12 rubber	2.20 buyers
No. 13 rubber	2.15 buyers
No. 14 rubber	2.10 buyers
No. 15 rubber	2.05 buyers
No. 16 rubber	2.00 buyers
No. 17 rubber	1.95 buyers
No. 18 rubber	1.90 buyers
No. 19 rubber	1.85 buyers
No. 20 rubber	1.80 buyers
No. 21 rubber	1.75 buyers
No. 22 rubber	1.70 buyers
No. 23 rubber	1.65 buyers
No. 24 rubber	1.60 buyers
No. 25 rubber	1.55 buyers
No. 26 rubber	1.50 buyers
No. 27 rubber	1.45 buyers
No. 28 rubber	1.40 buyers
No. 29 rubber	1.35 buyers
No. 30 rubber	1.30 buyers
No. 31 rubber	1.25 buyers
No. 32 rubber	1.20 buyers
No. 33 rubber	1.15 buyers
No. 34 rubber	1.10 buyers
No. 35 rubber	1.05 buyers
No. 36 rubber	1.00 buyers
No. 37 rubber	0.95 buyers
No. 38 rubber	0.90 buyers
No. 39 rubber	0.85 buyers
No. 40 rubber	0.80 buyers
No. 41 rubber	0.75 buyers
No. 42 rubber	0.70 buyers
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No. 80 rubber	0.00 buyers
No. 81 rubber	0.00 buyers
No. 82 rubber	0.00 buyers
No. 83 rubber	0.00 buyers
No. 84 rubber	0.00 buyers
No. 85 rubber	0.00 buyers
No. 86 rubber	0.00 buyers
No. 87 rubber	0.00 buyers
No. 88 rubber	0.00 buyers
No. 89 rubber	0.00 buyers
No. 90 rubber	0.00 buyers
No. 91 rubber	0.00 buyers
No. 92 rubber	0.00 buyers
No. 93 rubber	0.00 buyers
No. 94 rubber	0.00 buyers
No. 95 rubber	0.00 buyers
No. 96 rubber	0.00 buyers
No. 97 rubber	0.00 buyers
No. 98 rubber	0.00 buyers
No. 99 rubber	0.00 buyers
No. 100 rubber	0.00 buyers

COTTON
Closing prices all in cents per lb.

Spot	32.40
Oct.	31.00
Nov.	30.00
Dec.	29.00
Jan.	28.00
Feb.	27.00
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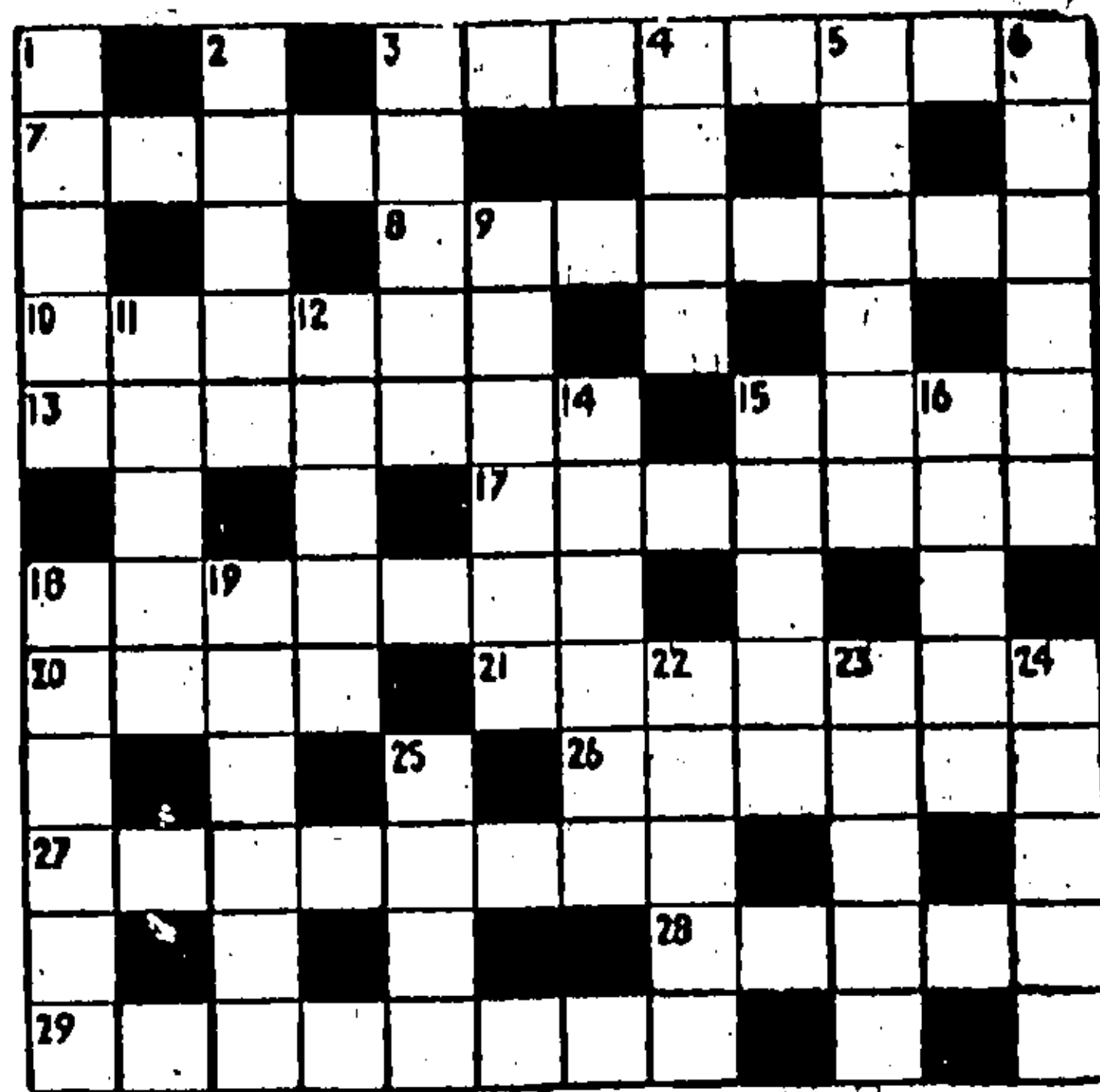
Two Pacific storms

Tokyo, Sept. 1. Two tropical storms moved through the western Pacific today but posed no immediate danger to land areas, the U.S. Air Force weather center here reported.

The weather center's storm tracking section reported tropical storm Faye 507 miles east-southeast of Misawa, Japan, at 9 a.m. and moving east-southeast at 23 miles per hour. Winds within the storm were 58 miles per hour.

Tropical storm Gloria was located 720 miles east-southeast of Manila and moving west-northwest at nine miles an hour. Gloria's centre winds were 40 miles an hour. The storm was expected to be 510 miles east-southeast of Manila tomorrow morning.—UPI.

A British Crossword Puzzle



ACROSS

3 He often gets into a jam. (4, 4).
7 Isn't it a game? (5).
8 Obviously no nightmare. (8).
10 Retailer of coverings, apparently. (6).
13 Not quite a baron or beef? (7).
15 Deposit on a bed? (4).
17 Tufts on Billy's chin? (7).
18 Seventh heaven enjoyment? (7).
20 Very shortly. (4).
21 It is forbidden. (7).
23 Moves over land or sea. (6).
26 Times for relaxation. (8).
27 They're always consuming things. (5).
29 It's little short of treason. (7).

DOWN

1 Goes wearily homewards? (5).
2 Rose essence. (5).
3 Mounted display. (5).
4 Wooden skirting. (4).
5 Hard cash! (6).
6 Sends the money, mister! (6).
9 A blow in the correct way. (6).
11 Up—and downstairs? (5).
12 Not what you'd call pretty. (5).
14 Usually public officer. (6).
15 Sat upon in an office. (5).
16 Bank reception! (5).
18 Goes off at a fair lick. (6).
19 Lounged idly. (6).
22 Short sailor! (5).
23 Such days are past. (5).
24 Get into line. (5).
25 Passage leading to the coal-hole? (4).

YESTERDAY'S CROSSWORD.—Across: 1 Hussar, 5 Certs, 8 Loyal, 9 Nobles, 10 Lits, 11 Ethic, 12 Let's, 13 Billy, 16 Curate, 18 German, 20 Shere, 22 Wee-ki, 23 Rajah, 25 Pleas, 26 Gables, 27 Never, 28 Bends, 29 Smarts. Down: 1 Handlers, 2 Saboteur, 3 Alec, 4 Rostrum, 5 Colban, 6 Ellett, 7 Total, 14 Leveller, 15 Yorists, 16 Creases, 17 Ravages, 19 Errand, 21 Halve, 24 Harm.

Bid to keep damaged cruise ship afloat

Honolulu, Apr. 31.

The converted minesweeper Wild Goose II, carrying 18 men, women and children including a three-year-old "blue baby," today was reported winning a battle to stay afloat after sending an SOS from 200 miles south of Honolulu.

The vessel reported early today it was sinking when water poured in through a ruptured forward compartment, knocking out power and lights. Crewmen worked for hours to shore up the breach and Coast Guard planes dropped two portable pumps.

NOT KNOWN

Later it reported both pumps were keeping the vessel afloat. Power was restored and the craft was making four knots.

The Coast Guard later said that the Wild Goose reported she was in "no immediate danger."

Cause of the trouble is not known. The 130-foot Wild Goose, owned by Max Wynman of Seattle who was aboard with his wife and three children, was enroute from Tahiti to Honolulu near the end of a world cruise.

The Coast Guard said the Wild Goose had four lifeboats, two life-rats and enough lifejackets for those aboard. The coast guard said the Wild Goose had four lifeboats, two life-rats and enough lifejackets for those aboard.

TURNED BACK

The East German Interior Ministry last night announced that West Germans could enter East Berlin between August 31 and September 4 only if they had valid residence permits. At border crossing points between East and West Berlin today, East German guards turned back West Germans, trying to go into East Berlin. The order did not affect West Berliners and foreigners. Transport services inside the divided city—underground and overhead railways—were not interrupted, and rail traffic to West Berlin through East Germany was reported normal.—Reuter.

FIRST PENCIL

Paris. The first wood-cased pencil was invented around 1886 in France. Before that advance, graphite was pushed into quills or tubes, wound with string, and put in metal holders called port-crayons.—UPI.

Rhodesia said 'spiteful'

London, Aug. 31.

Mr James Callaghan, the Labour Party's spokesman on Commonwealth affairs, said today the Federal Government of Rhodesia and Nyasaland in barring his fellow member of parliament Mr John Stonehouse was "just being spiteful."

"The Federal Government is just being spiteful because they do not like what Mr Stonehouse said about them," he told reporters. "Why don't they grow up?"

Sir Malcolm Barrow, Federal Minister for Home Affairs, said in Salisbury yesterday that Mr Stonehouse who was deported from Northern Rhodesia last year was still barred from entering the federation. Mr Stonehouse had arrived in Nairobi, Kenya, on his way to Rhodesia.—China Mail Special.

Two seamen indicted

Taipei, Aug. 31.

Two seamen were indicted today for failing to destroy navigation charts when Communists boarded their trawlers off the China coast last May. The captain, Chen Kuo-yung and the engineer, Chang Wan-fu, faced a charge of trading classified documents with the Communists for their personal safety.—AFP.

Rescue workers battle floods

Tokyo, Aug. 31.

Rescue teams battled floods, repaired damage and fed the homeless in southern Japan tonight while Delta, the typhoon which caused all the chaos, lost herself over the Okhotsk sea, north of Japan.

It was the worst typhoon to hit the Japanese islands this year. Police tallies tonight were still incomplete. They had, however, accounted for 41 dead. Another 14 persons were still missing.

FOOD SUPPLIES

Prefectural governments in southern Japan issued orders for supplies of food to be issued to the homeless who huddled in shrines, schools and police stations.

Through the night, about 10,000 men of the self-defence forces, police and firemen worked to repair the damage before any new typhoons swept up the Pacific onto the islands.

The second storm in the area, Faye, tonight was reported to be 357 miles north-east of Tokyo and moving east-northeast at 23 miles an hour.—Reuter.

New outlaws

Nottingham.

Green-clad outlaws are again lurking in Sherwood Forest, near here, where centuries ago bandit-aristocrat Robin Hood hid with his green-clothed merry men to rob the rich and help the poor.

But there is nothing romantic about the new outlaws—green caterpillars, in plague proportions, stripping trees of bark and threatening much of the life of the forest. Officials are waging an intense air-and-ground spraying campaign against them.—UPI.

Belgian premier changes decision about resigning

Brussels, Aug. 31.

At the request of King Baudouin, Belgian Premier Gaston Eyskens tonight reversed his decision to resign.

The premier is to make a final effort to persuade his cabinet to carry out a programme of financial austerity to compensate for the loss of the Congo. Mr Eyskens said, however, he will not remain as premier unless his programme of reduced expenditure, higher taxes and other reforms is accepted.

THINK IT OVER

He said: "I had decided to make a final decision about handing in my resignation tonight but after an audience with the King, I decided to think it over. I hope to be able to state tomorrow where I stand."

The programme outlined by the premier includes six billion Belgian francs in new taxes and a severe reduction in Belgium's military expenditure.

"Belgium will honour its international obligations but being a sovereign, independent country, will decide its own defence budget," Mr Eyskens said.—AP.

Handkerchief gets man 7 years

London, Aug. 31.

Police checking laundry marks by the hundred, arrested a man a few hours after he had snatched a flat in Oakwood-court, Kensington, of £2,177 in jewellery.

Peter Foster, aged 40, salesman, of Holland-road, Kensington, had dropped a handkerchief with "P43" on it. At London Sessions he was jailed for seven years, on his 20th conviction.—(London Express Service).

London, Aug. 31.

Britain is favouring television sets with wider screens and smaller bodies than before, it exhibits at this year's national radio show are any guide.

Most of the 165 exhibitors are emphasising more wide screens and portable models and makers say only about one percent of today's buyers ask for sets less than 17 inches diagonally across the screen.—UPI.

DUTCH GIFT TO JAPANESE COMPANY

Djakarta, Aug. 31.

Bappit—the Indonesian Government Corporation running nationalised Dutch industries—has protested to the Japanese Matsushita Electrical Appliances Manufacturing Company for its acceptance of a gold medal from Queen Juliana of the Netherlands.

Bappit and Matsushita are partners in the operation of the former Phillips works in Indonesia.

Bappit Director Mr Sardju Ismudjar said today that by receiving the Dutch medal "Matsushita is no longer respecting the co-operation agreement it concluded with the Indonesian side, concerning the exploitation of the former Phillips enterprises."—China Mail Special.

High fashion

London, Aug. 31.

Rubies are high fashion here since Princess Margaret chose a ruby-and-diamond engagement ring earlier this year, the National Jewellers' Association says.

It says prices are soaring and an 8-carat ruby recently sold for a record per-carat price of £20,000.

The Association says real pearls are also coming back in to fashion, with their prices increasing.—UPI.

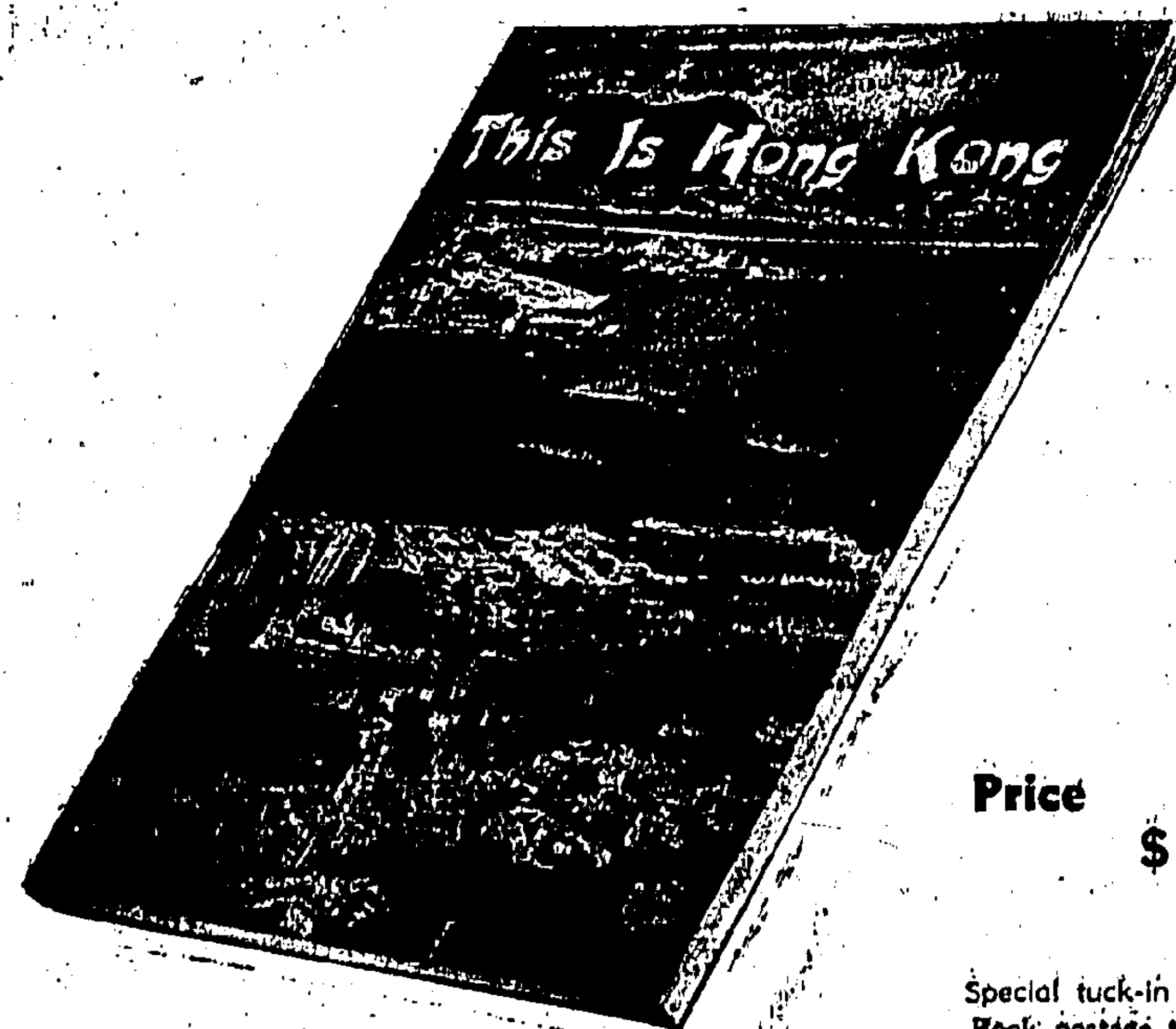
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FEARS FOR SON IN RUSSIA

'Why my sentence should be reduced'

Explaining why a sentence of nine months for heroin possession should be reduced, a 22-year-old man, Li Shiu-chung, had this to say to the Appeals Court this morning:

"Previously when I was convicted, I had no job. Now I have a job as a shoeshine boy. If I were to be put in prison for a long time, I would lose the job and be forced to steal."

"I would be caught and sent back to prison. This would mean that I would have to be in prison all the time."

The Acting Chief Justice, Mr. Justice J.R. Gregg, observed that Li seemed to be a drug addict as he had a similar conviction before.

Li explained that he bought the drugs for a friend, "You should not buy drugs of this sort for anybody," Mr. Justice Gregg said.

He said he could see no merit in the appeal and dismissed it.

UK TEACHER DOUBTFUL ABOUT NEGRO ATTACKER

Chicago, Aug. 31. An English school teacher today cast doubt on her previous identification of a teen-age Negro as her assailant in a daylight attack in Chicago's Grant Park.

Miss Joy Grant, 30, of London, told Acting Police Capt. John W. Mulhern that she was reasonably sure of her earlier identification. But she added, Mulhern said, that she "wouldn't go into court and say positively" that Jasper Mines, 16, was the youth who attacked her eight days ago.

Mines has been held in the Audy Home for children since Monday, when he was charged with robbery and assault after Miss Grant's hospital bed identification.

Mines had denied Miss Grant's charges, although he admitted similar attacks on two other women.

Mulhern interviewed Miss Grant in Herndon Hospital where she underwent surgery for a fractured jaw, suffered on the Aug. 23 attack. Miss Grant wrote her answers for Mulhern because her jaw is wired shut.

Mulhern indicated pictures of other known sex deviates would be presented to Miss Grant in hopes of possibly pinning down her identification.—UPI.

Millionth passenger across to Belgium

Ostend, Aug. 31. Mr. Harry Gould, 50-year-old tailor from Brighton, yesterday became the millionth passenger to make the sea crossing between Dover and Ostend in 1960.

He was presented with a miniature roulette set by the Captain of the ferryboat, Reine Elisabeth.

Mr. Gould and his wife are on holiday in Switzerland and Italy.—China Mail Special.

All for "the cause"
Tokyo, Sept. 1. North Korea's Pyongyang radio reported proudly today on female rabbit who is giving life all for the Communist regime.

The Red radio said the rabbit gave birth to 19 young rabbits in April, 19 in June, 24 in July and 27 in August.—UPI.

Father returns with two children

Sydney, Aug. 31.

The man who took two of his three Russia-bound children from the liner, Australia, in Singapore last night refused to speak to the press on arrival at Sydney Airport today because he feared Russian reaction against his 12-year-old son.

Queen mother to open 'bridge across Atlantic'

Edinburgh, Aug. 31. Queen Mother Elizabeth is to open a "bridge across the Atlantic" here next Wednesday. It was announced today.

She will interrupt her Scottish holiday with the Royal Family to open a five-mile causeway linking the islands of Benbecula and North Uist in the outer Hebrides off Western Scotland.

The £650,000 bridge complex a road link between the two islands and South Uist, Britain's Rocket testing range.—China Mail Special.

Parliamentary language like difficult crossword puzzle

Washington, Aug. 31.

Lord Evershed, Master of the Rolls, said in an after-dinner speech to the American Bar Association's Judicial Administration section here that trying to interpret British Parliamentary language was like attempting to solve a difficult crossword puzzle.

Japan to take up U.S. jet plane issue

Tokyo, Sept. 1. Japan may take up with U.S. officials the question of permitting RB-47 jet reconnaissance planes the right to land on Japanese soil.

Yozu Kato of the Japanese Defence Ministry met with Socialist Ichio Asakada in a Lower House Cabinet Committee session yesterday to discuss possible landing agreement similar to the one recently signed between the United States and Great Britain.

The Japanese public has become sensitive of aerial "spy flights" since leftists blew up into a major issue the U-2 "Black Jet" weather reconnaissance flights from bases in Japan.

A U-2 jet made a forced landing at a remote airstrip in central Japan. The "Black Jet" issues arose out of this and was greatly magnified by the May 1 "spy in the sky" flight by Francis Powers over Russia.

The U-2's were then removed from Japan. The Socialists have repeatedly demanded that Japan not permit RB-47 reconnaissance jets landing right on Japanese soil.—UPI.

AIR ACE DIES IN SWANSEA

Swansea, Aug. 31.

Wing-Commander, Ira "Taffy" Jones, famed airman of the First World War, has died here aged 65.

He was credited with 40 victories in First World War air duels, and in the last war trained Spitfire pilots.

Wing-Commander Jones flew with "Mick" Mannock, V.C. in the first war, and was a friend of South African Group Captain "Sailor" Malan in the second conflict.

In the 1939 war he earned the nickname of "The Flying Brass Hat" by taking daylight fighter sweeps over occupied Europe.

He wrote three books on his war experiences. In one, "Tiger Squadron," he told how he pulled a Lewis machine-gun off its cockpit mounting in his First-World-War plane and used it like a rifle in an attempt to shoot down a fighter.

His other two books were "The King of Air Fighters" and "Air Fighters Scrapbook."

Six weeks ago he was admitted to hospital after a fall at his home and did not recover from an operation.

His decorations included the D.S.O., M.C., D.F.C., and M.M.—China Mail Special.

OLD QUEEN CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

Amsterdam, Aug. 31.

Princess Wilhelmina, who reigned as Queen of Holland for fifty years until 1948, today celebrated her 80th birthday privately with her daughter, Queen Juliana, her family, and some lifelong friends.

Wilhelmina gave the Dutch nation to understand that she preferred "quiet and alone" on this day but many ran up the flag. For fifty years Aug. 31 has been Holland's national holiday.

Early yesterday messages and parcels started streaming into Apeldoorn's small post office, a stone's throw from Wilhelmina's "Huis Loosdrecht" where she has lived in seclusion ever since she abdicated in favour of her daughter.

Letters, cables and presents came from as far as the Netherlands Antilles and Dutch Guinea and even from Indonesia.—UPI.

Daily Herald will stick to principles

London, Aug. 31.

Mr. John Beavan, editor designate of the Daily Herald, said last night that the Daily Herald would remain true to its principles and traditions, even though the paper was no longer bound to support official trade union and Labour Party policies.

Answering questions from Mr. Trevor Evans, industrial correspondent of the Daily Express and one of the directors of that paper in the BBC programme "At Home and Abroad," Mr. Beavan said that the paper would take a firm stand on subjects of controversy within the party.

"I think that the editor of the Daily Herald has got to make up his mind on which side he stands, and say so forthrightly. I don't like weak, timid, woolly editing," Mr. Beavan added.—China Mail Special.



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'Big Brother' watch for building sites

MOSCOW HAS GIANT COMPUTER

RUSSIAN scientists are piecing together a giant computer, to take over control of the entire building programme for Moscow. Every construction site in the city will be linked to it by radio-telephone. So will the factories turning out bricks, concrete, prefabricated materials and timber.

Each morning, engineers will feed into the machine the hourly schedules for the sites and factories.

It will "memorise" the time at which every lorry leaves a factory and arrives at a site, what materials are sent and received.

At the end of the day, the Russians say, the robot will sum up the work done and supply the facts for another computer to use in calculating the wages of all the building workers.

"On the basis of its 'experience', the machine will also be able to undertake planning of work and indicate more rational allocation of materials and machines," they add.

Big Brother is quite definitely watching.

AID FOR BLIND

A DEVICE to help blind people to operate office or factory telephone switchboards has been developed by two scientists at the Mullard Research Laboratories.

It seems the flashing lights which indicate that an extension is calling and "buzzes" the blind operator. It consists of a photo-electric cell, mounted on a carriage, which the operator slides across the switchboard.

The whole device is no bigger than a cigarette packet. It is now undergoing field trials with the Royal National Institute for the Blind.

CONCERN OVER DRUG

CHLORPROMAZINE hydrochloride, a tranquilliser now used to treat

The World of Science

by Peter Fairley

mental disorders, is causing concern at the Royal College of Nursing. A number of nurses have been found to be sensitive to it.

Itches have followed, and fees have swollen up. The drug is swallowed as a sugar-coated pill. But a reaction in an allergic nurse can be triggered off by contact with the patient's breath or perspiration.

"We do not want to suggest this is anything but an excellent drug," says the College. "But a nurse cannot find out if she has this allergy in advance. So we want hospitals to take extra precautions."

NEW BACTERIA

THE Medical Research Council is extremely concerned at the discovery of some new bacteria in India.

They have come to light during the last six months. They appear to be related to the bacilli which causes tuberculosis, yet resist normal treatment with anti-TB drugs.

They may be a "local strain," until now unrecognised. More ominous—they may be another sign that tubercule bacilli are changing their guise and becoming resistant to drugs, as some staphylococci have built up resistance to penicillin.

If this is so, it is important for Britain—with TB at an all-time low—to be able to recognise these "new look" infections at once, if they suddenly pop up at home.

New drugs, or new combinations of the old get, can be prepared to meet them.

So the Council, and the World Health Organisation, are sending teams of doctors to India to investigate further.

(London Express Service).



A SMILE FROM ANY ONE OF THE UNSMILING FIVE MEANS YOU'VE ARRIVED—IN HOLLYWOOD

THE RAT PACK

— first picture

AS SHIRLEY MACLAINE ARRIVES IN BRITAIN

HERE, for the first time in one remarkable picture, is Frank Sinatra's Rat Pack, otherwise known as The Clan. Scowling from left to right: comic Joey Bishop; Sammy Davis jun., Frank Sinatra, Dean Martin, and Peter Lawford.

Curious cult

Look at them well, for these five men without a smile between them are the inner circle

of Hollywood's new social club The Sands—in which he has a 500,000 dollar share. A small smile from any one of them—especially Sinatra, sometimes known as The General or more simply The Leader—and you are in, daddy-o. YOU ARE IN.

And soon the impact of this curious cult of The Clan will be felt in London. Soon a new film called "Ocean's 11," in which they all appear, opens in London.

The man who put the Pack on parade together for the first time is Sinatra himself. He by the late Humphrey Bogart. He told me "Frank is really Bogey's heir. It first started

one night after we came back from a Judy Garland opening. There was Bogey, his wife Lauren Bacall, John Huston the director, Frank, and me.

"Then in a moment of idleness somebody suggested we formed a club and someone else called it the Rat Pack. It's the sort of thing children and idiot grown-ups do.

"Anyway we all drank to it and gave each other titles. Bogey was Director of Public Relations and Betty Bacall was Den Mother. It was all quite juvenile."

A tradition

Although when Bogart died Bacall and Niven left the Pack, the tradition lived on. Today Dean Martin, who is Sinatra's deputy, is called The Admiral or The Secretary of the Navy. Because, it is said, he likes to be near water, especially if it has some Scotch in it.

Peter Lawford, who adds a dash of class to the Rat Pack (his wife Pat is the sister of presidential candidate John Kennedy) is known as The Snob.

Sammy Davis jun. is The Jester. And Joey Bishop, the newest member to The Clan's

inner circle, is still without a title. Outside their own group—which extends to part-time. Clan members Tony Curtis, Janet Leigh, Natalie Wood, Bob Wagner, Judy Garland, and director Billy Wilder—Clan members rarely entertain.

Although the Big Five are, with the exception of Peter Lawford, all top night-club entertainers they never throw the kind of lavish parties associated with big star names.

Parties . . . Instead, the social monarchy of Hollywood 1960 prefers to entertain well but privately at informal gatherings at home.

But once a party begins it is likely to last through the night and it is not easy to pass the physical examination to be a Clan member because some people have to get up and go to work in the mornings.

As David Niven said, it is all rather juvenile. But my word, how it rattles those would-be socialites who haven't yet felt the warmth of a Sinatra smile to welcome them in, daddy-o.

—Peter Evans

(London Express Service).

TALK, TALK, TALK!

...No wonder this policeman can't stop thie ves!

IN the lofty hall of the United Nations building in New York, which looks like an upended glass cigarette packet, there is a huge pendulum. It moves, they tell you, by the rotation of the earth and it ticks away the time to the end of the world. United Nations officials must be watching that pendulum uneasily today. Their air-conditioned glass-walled world is in danger of tinkling to pieces about their ears.

by

ANTHONY
LEJEUNE

The issue, said Mr Hammarskjöld, when he sought permission to go into Katanga, is one of peace or war.

The issue now, since he returned indignantly to New York, is one of life or death for UNO itself.

His blue-helmeted forces have been reluctantly accepted in Katanga. But Mr Lumumba, who started by howling for UNO help, is now telling them to get out of his part of the Congo.

THE CRACKS

UNO communications men have been beaten up by Congolese troops at Leopoldville airport.

UNO officials have been man-handled and searched on the pretext that they might be Belgian spies in disguise.

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tion, the first danger was on him. People were entitled to ask: is UNO an organisation which supports Nasser but abandons Hungary, which backs Lumumba but rejects Tibet? But as soon as Mr Hammarskjöld tries to use the United Nations in any other way, the structure begins to break under him. If UNO troops do not simply support Lumumba, Lumumba wants no part of them. And the other black African nations agree with him.

United Nations contingents from Ghana and Guinea are offered to Mr Lumumba as his agents: their loyalty to the United Nations is secondary or non-existent.

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FALLACIES

Can Mr Hammarskjöld do anything about it? When the chips are down, probably nothing.

For the United Nations suffers from two deadly fallacies. In the General Assembly every nation has an equal vote.

The wishes of a handful of black politicians from a tiny State which was enfranchised recently carry equal weight with the decisions of Britain or Canada or the United States or the Soviet Union.

The prejudices, the jingoism, the ambitions of a hundred petty nationalisms are thus built into the structure of the United Nations.

SELFISH

What of the Security Council, where the Great Powers have been given a realistically superior position? The Security Council is the most unrealistic fiction of all.

All potentially dangerous situations are likely to involve one or other of the Great Powers, but by using the veto any of these Powers can prevent the Security Council from acting.

Only once has the United Nations taken quick and effective action. That was in Korea, and it was possible simply

RESOLUTIONS

The Russians were condemned over Hungary. The Chinese have been convicted not merely of murder in Tibet, but of genocide. And where is the United Nations? At home, passing resolutions.

The Congo has seen a breach of the peace on the most massive scale. If Mr Hammarskjöld were really a sort of global policeman, he would have taken over and restored order in the name of all civilised men, whether Mr Lumumba liked it or not.

But he cannot. The United Nations is not that kind of organisation.

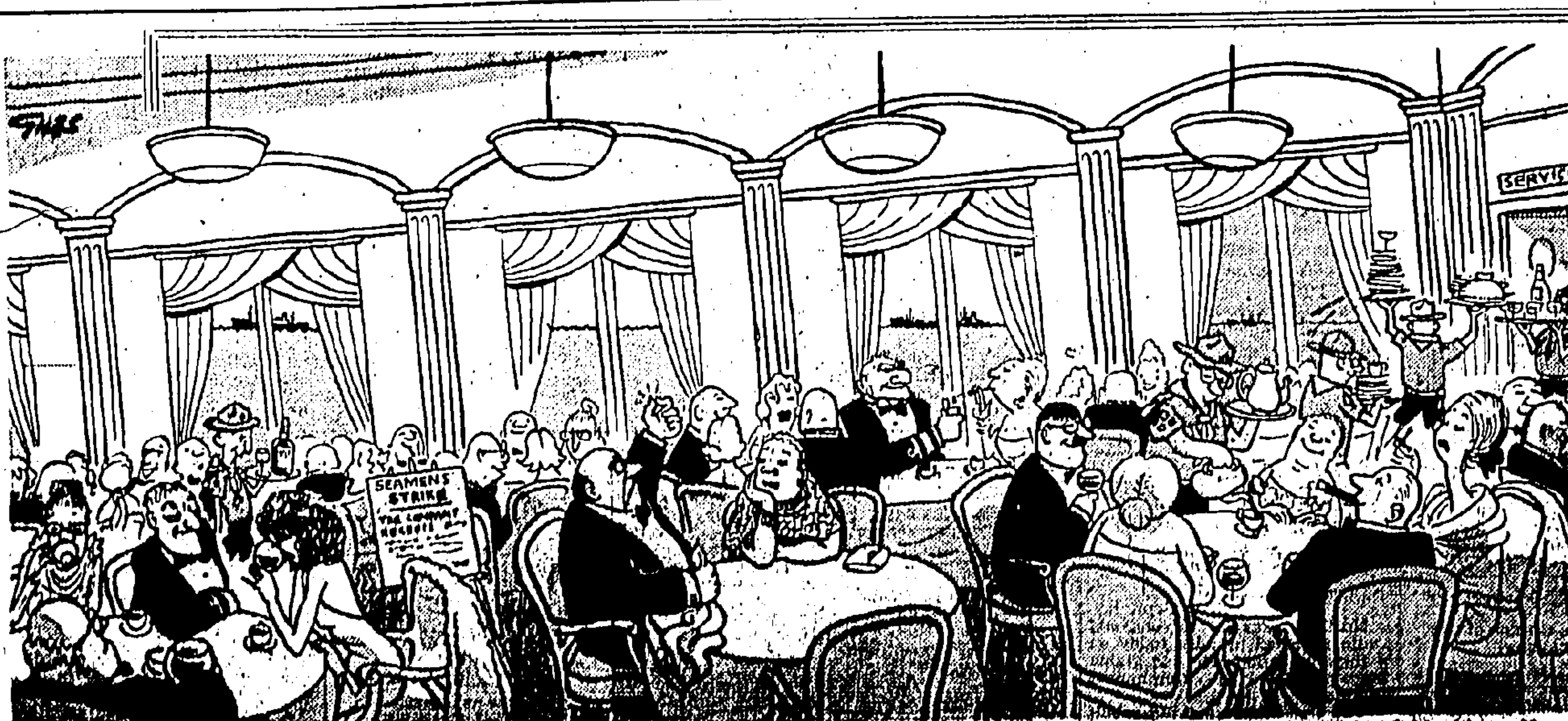
MONUMENT

So what kind of organisation is it? Can it ever act when it is really needed? As he sits in his glass palace today Mr Hammarskjöld must know that this is the moment of decision, the point of no return.

Unless the United Nations can show that it is Lumumba's master, not his servant, not only will it never become the world organisation in which so many people have set their hopes, but it will lose what little credit it has.

Like the old League of Nations, it will become merely an admirable humanitarian body, which runs such incidental good works as narcotics control extremely well.

The League of Nations building in Geneva is an elephantine monument to man's folly. Unless Mr Hammarskjöld can arrest the process now, it may be that upended glass cigarette packet in New York will soon be obsolete.



"Sure everybody's got their coffee before we've got our soup—everybody didn't call the volunteer staff a bunch of blacklegs?" London Express Service.

TALKING POINTS

All women become like their mothers. —WILDE.

★ ★ ★
Illusion is the first of all pleasures. —VOLTAIRE.

★ ★ ★
A man never tells you anything until you contradict him. —SHAW.

WOMANSENSE

LADY LUCK
YOUR
CHINA MAIL
horoscope

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 1

AQUARIUS (9) (January 21-February 18): An influential friend will help you to gain a position which you never could reach through merit alone.

PISCES (23) (February 20-March 20): Your superior's absence ought to give you a very welcome chance to show how well you can manage things on your own.

ARIES (10) (March 21-April 19): If a friend offers you help, don't immediately read a patronising motive into his suggestion.

TAURUS (7) (April 20-May 20): A newcomer to the neighbourhood will prove a very valuable addition to your circle of friends.

GEMINI (8) (May 21-June 21): By the end of the day you will be considerably better off than when you got up in the morning.

CANCER (12) (June 22-July 21): Don't neglect to show your appreciation of a friend's unusually kind and unselfish action, even though he may not expect it.

LEO (6) (July 22-August 21): Before making an important household purchase, make sure you will enjoy looking at the object chosen every day of the year.

VIRGO (4) (August 22-September 22): Don't neglect the romantic side of life by telling yourself that you are too busy to think of such matters.

LIBRA (1) (September 23-October 22): Don't rely too much on an arrangement made by a none too dependable friend. Better work out your plan yourself.

SCORPIO (11) (October 23-November 21): If you feel that someone of the opposite sex is arousing more interest than your usual interest, beware of getting too deeply involved, and taking a chance of hurting your partner.

SAGITTARIUS (5) (November 22-December 21): You will have to be very persuasive today to convince an associate that yours is the better plan for an important project.

CAPRICORN (2) (December 22-January 20): You will have the choice of two invitations, and ought to select the one which gives you greater scope for your social talents.

YOUR LUCKY NUMBER: Count the letters in your first name and add the total to the number shown in brackets after your sign of the Zodiac. This is your lucky number for the week.

LA LANA NELLA MODA FEMMINILE

1930
MINTED
IN
'60



Jean Wiseman
presents fashion
news in wool

THREE coins in the fountain—all with a 1930's date stamped on them. First there were two tossed there by the fashion designers of London and Paris. Now the Italian designers have added theirs and it's the same vintage. For the three top designing countries of Europe have all looked backwards for 1960's fashion inspiration.

Browse through the family album till you come to one of mother bewitching father in a slim wraparound affair trimmed with fox. That's what has influenced some designers. A few have gone Oriental but the majority have worked on geometric shapes.

What do these Italian designers agree upon? Oddly

enough—hats—underlined with emphasis to impress upon you how dominating and voluminous they should be. Tall, cylindrical, round or cone shaped they are the ideal complement to the slim silhouette beneath.

Varied

Newest hats are hand-knitted in the heavy extra thick wools now coming on sale in the shops. They are also made in pebble twill fabrics or dogtooth patterned Shetlands. Cloche types of reversible wool link up with high-looking knitted bonnets in green or violet wool take top marks for elegance. Even beginners at knitting should be able to look high in this autumn.

Wide-shoulder line in Paris and London takes a cape like form in some Italian collections, and lengthened skirts keep the proportions right. Skirt jackets here are so varied that you can pick what you like.

Nobody would associate beatniks with high fashion but that's the only way to describe two outfits I saw. Fausto Sarli shows a very short flared bolero in striped grey and red wool worn with grey wool flannel culottes. Centinaro, a designer who believes our hootie like suits for something "cool—and don't I agree with him—shows a plain green Shetland wool suit with a tamed skirt, worn over knee-length light pants. The suit most promising of young Italian

jacket is short and belted. Not quite so exaggerated as Aris who features long tight fitting slacks with a short belted tunic; the slacks are made in metallic shot-wool.

Romantic

Veneziani, who has a large international clientele, shows young and very simple wool suits with small collars, large shoulders and set in sleeves which are rare this season. By contrast, Marucelli, uses the beautiful shapes of Venetian glass for his more complicated inspiration. Soles are loose fitted, and skirts free swinging, curving out from the hips and in towards the hem, by a series of what the designer darts calls—drinks, of the trade. This links up with London where shape is achieved by couture cut, seaming and darts. Marucelli in this collection are soft wools in dark velvety colours offset by a few agree with them—shows a plain green Shetland wool suit with a tamed skirt, worn over knee-length light pants. The suit most promising of young Italian

CHILDREN'S CORNER

Mr. Punch Remembers

—He Used To Take A Boat Ride In His Bathtub—

By MAX TRELL.

"Now when I was very young," said Mr Punch in his deep, low, good-natured voice as he looked with a smile at Knarf and Handi, the two Shadow Children with the Turned-About Names, who were sitting in his lap, "there was nothing that I liked better than to take a swim in my tub."

Handi put her hand on Mr Punch's arm and interrupted him. "Don't you mean," she asked, smiling up at him, "that you liked to take a bath in your tub?"

Took a swim

"I said swim and I meant swim," he repeated. "Of course, I don't mind telling you that most people take baths in their bathtubs."

"We do," Knarf said to Mr Punch.

"And so do I nowadays," agreed Mr Punch good-naturedly. "But when I was young I swam in my tub!"

Handi looked puzzled. "I don't see how you could," she said to Mr Punch. "I mean, a bathtub isn't really big enough to swim in, is it?"

A straight cut topcoat is given a new note with a high wrapping cape collar which buttons on at the back. Note matching pockets on coat and collar. The fabric is a Glen check worsted—the designer Fausto Sarli of Rome.

Right—Luciani shows his arc line (the broadened shoulderline) in a suit of hazy-nut coloured wool. The suit has the incurved front with an original two button fastening.

Lower Left—Baratta of Milan shows a typical 1930 inspiration. The 9/10 coat is in black and white wool tweed and has a round bolter collar of black fox. The slim straight dress beneath is of plain black wool.

Centre—Gregoriana emphasises the shape of his green wool suit by underlining the yoke with rows of stitching. Note the shorter sleeve—a big feature of this year's suits. The coil like hat is in checked wool.

De Luca shows another form of arc line in a champagne coloured wool outfit. The long 3/4 jacket curves widely from the shoulders with their very deep set armholes narrowing towards the hem. A coffee brown wool jersey blouse is worn with the skirt and the high crowned, peaked jockey cap is in coffee brown wool to match.

"Not for most people it isn't," replied Mr Punch. "But when I was very young I was also very small."

How small?

"Small? How small were you?" Knarf asked. "You couldn't have been any smaller than a Baby!"

"My dear boy," said Mr Punch, chuckling in his pleasant, low, deep and good-natured way, "when I was small I was as small as a peanut. I was so small that I could ride around the house sitting on the Cat's back. I was so small that I could swing on the pendulum of a clock and take a long walk around a slice of bread."

Knarf and Handi let out little cries of astonishment. "I was so small," continued Mr Punch, "that I once got lost inside my father's shoe and didn't get found again until he put his foot in and I pinched his big toe!"

They're astonished

Knarf and Handi cried out with astonishment again. "But what about your swim in your tub, Mr Punch?" Handi reminded him.

"I was just coming to that," said Mr Punch. "Every night just before I went to bed—and I went to bed in a teacup lined with soft cotton—my Mother put some water in the tub. She didn't fill it up. She only half-filled it. Then she would call out and tell me that it was time for my swim."

Wants the truth

"But, Mr Punch," said Knarf looking up at Mr Punch sharply as much as to say: "Now be sure you tell us the truth, do you hear?"—and he went on to ask Mr Punch how, being so small, he could even get in the tub!

"Well," said Mr Punch without being in the least bit dismayed by Knarf's question, "my Father built me a little ladder made of twigs and matchsticks. He leaned it against the side of the tub and I climbed right in."

"I hope," said Handi after Mr Punch had leaned back and chuckled good-naturedly some more as he thought about his bathtub ladder made of twigs and matchsticks, "that you didn't frighten your Mother by diving into the tub!"

Wasn't frightened

"Oh, I dived into the tub, all right!" promptly answered Mr Punch. "But my Mother wasn't frightened at all. The only thing she warned me about was to be careful not to dive into the cake of soap!"



Punch used a spoon to paddle his soap dish boat.

"Ha-ha!" roared Mr Punch. "Just imagine being so small that you have to worry about hitting a cake of soap every time you dive into the tub!"

Knarf wanted to know how Mr Punch swam in his half-filled tub of water. Did he swim back and forth across the narrow sides?

Floating cork

"Most of the times," explained Mr Punch, "I swam from one end of the tub to the other. And Mother had a cork tied to a thread floating in the water so that I could always take a rest in case I got tired swimming."

"And every now and then I would stop swimming and shout up to my Mother that I wanted to go for a boat ride around the tub, and would she please get me my boat and my paddle."

When they heard this, Knarf and Handi looked at each other with startled eyes and wide-open mouths.

Really went

"It's the truth," insisted Mr Punch. "I really did go paddling around the tub in a boat. Can you guess what the boat was?"

Knarf and Handi said they couldn't guess what the boat was.

"A soap dish! And do you know what the paddle was?"

Knarf and Handi said they couldn't—they really and truly couldn't—guess what the paddle was.

Paddled with spoon

"A spoon!" said Mr Punch. "And oh, what fun it was! Never, never, never will I have that kind of fun again—swimming in my bathtub and paddling around in a soap dish boat with a spoon! It almost makes me wish I had never grown up!"

And Mr Punch smiled and chuckled in his deep, low, pleasant voice, and made Knarf and Handi feel so good that they smiled and chuckled, too!

JACOBY on BRIDGE

WHEN today's hand was played in a Baton Rouge duplicate the bidding was always opened by East. There was no reason why he shouldn't. He had a sound opening bid in any system.

South usually doubled. West would show his long spade suit and invariably wind up at four spades doubled. Perfect defence would set him four tricks, but perfect defence did not always come off and most West players got out for 500.

As you can see, North can make seven hearts. The diamonds break. The diamond finesse works and in addition he can set up two of dummy's clubs. Of course, seven would be a horrible bid, but six is a fine contract and the question is how to get there.

Actually, this is a very tough slam to bid and those who did not bid it should not feel too badly about the whole thing. However, since that West bid one spade only, North should bid two hearts with the good six card suit. South must then guess a spade cue bid, West probably would jump to four spades, but North should refuse to be shut out. After

NORTH 15			
▲32	▲KQ743		
♦942			
♠8			
EAST (D)			
▲J108654	▲KQ7		
♦1087	♦J65		
♠97	♠K53		
	▲KQ108		
SOUTH			
▲A	▲A102		
♦A	♦AQJ		
♠AJ6432			
North and South vulnerable			
East South West North	1♠ Double	1♠ 2♥	
2♠ 3♠ 4♠ 5♥			
Pass 6♥ Pass Pass			
Opening lead—▲K			

North's five heart bid South certainly would bid six and the slam would have been bid.

♥CARD SENSE♥

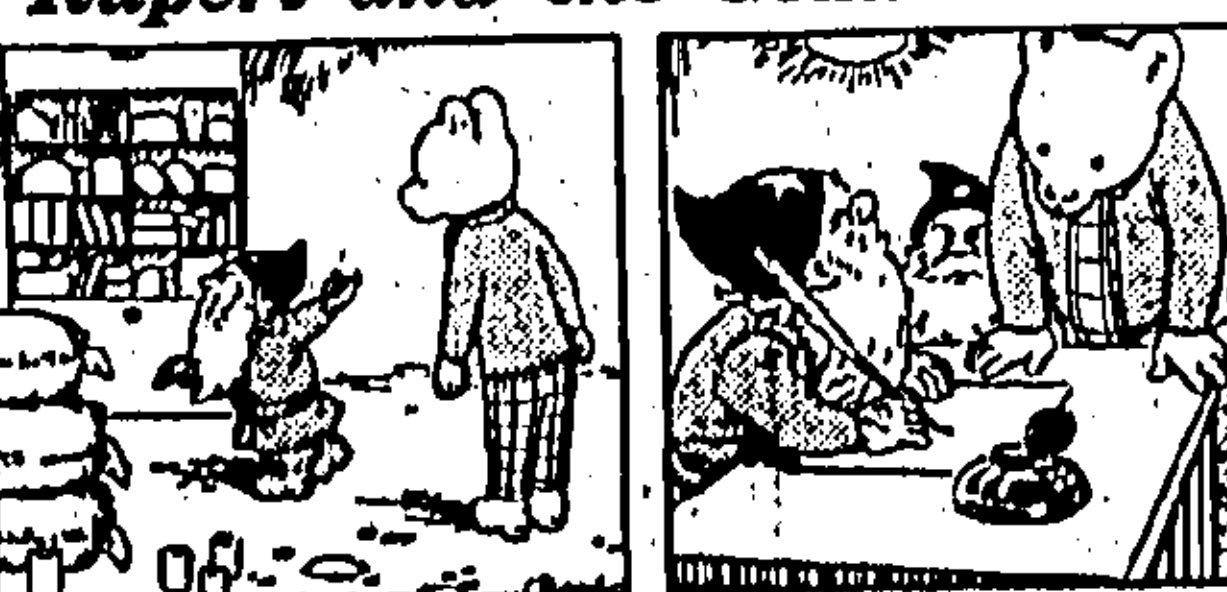
Q—The bidding has been:
South West North East
2♥ Pass 3♦ Pass

You, South, hold:
▲A♥A♦KQJ765▲KQ643
What do you do?
A bid four no-trump. You still have your minimum two bid, but the diamond bid has made your king and queen of diamonds into tremendous cards.

TODAY'S QUESTION
Your partner bids five hearts to show you two aces. What do you do now?

Answer Tomorrow

Rupert and the Gonnies—30



After some while Rupert is beckoned back to the desk. "We have decided you shall not be punished—yet," says the angry little man. "I am the leader of our new branch, the Nutwood Gnomes, and your wretched plaster figures are exactly like me."

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U.S. off to good start in Athletics

Clean sweep in the Shot Put final

Russia takes day's only other gold medal

Rome, Aug. 31.

The United States track and field team got off to a good start in the 1960 Olympics today with a clean sweep of the shot put final made a mockery of the old record.

Bill Nieder, U.S. Army Lieutenant, defending champion Parry O'Brien and Dallas Long finished one-two-three and dominated the field.

They broke O'Brien's Olympic record of 60 feet 11 1/2 inches (18.291 metres) set in 1956 nine times during the amazing display before a roaring crowd of 60,000 in Olympic Stadium.

Only other final

The event completely dominated the first day's jam-packed track and field schedule in which U.S. athletes, rated as the best Uncle Sam ever put together, ran mostly according to expectations.

The only other final of the day, the women's broad jump, was won by Russia's Vera Krepikina with a record leap of 20 feet, 10 1/2 inches (6.372 metres).

The American sprinters survived the 100 metres qualifying tests to reach the semi-finals but were given notice by Germany's Armin Hary, newly recognised co-holder of the world record at 10 seconds flat, that he is the man to beat.

Olympic record

Sprinters Ray Norton, Dave Sime, and Frank Budd, all of the U.S., qualified with ease in their heats in varying times that indicated they ran only as fast as they had to.

In Sime's case he really had to go. Hary, off to his amazingly fast start, won Sime's heat in 10.2, cracking the Olympic mark

of 10.3 seconds held jointly by five American greats—Jesse Owens, Ira Murchison, Bobby Morrow, Eddie Tolan and Harrison Dillard.

Sime, who complained he hasn't been able to eat anything with comfort for 24 hours because of an upset stomach, equaled the record in finishing second. Budd did 10.4 and Norton, the real U.S. favourite, 10.6.

Also qualifying were two dangerous men, Canada's Harry Jerome, co-holder of the world mark of 10 seconds flat with Hary, and Britain's highly regarded Peter Radford. They won it fairly easily, too.

In the 400 metres hurdles, America's Dick Howard and Glenn Davis, the world record holder, finished second in their heats but qualified nicely for the semi-finals. Howard had a comfortably good 51.2 timing while Davis recorded 52.2, exactly the same as Norway's Jorgen Gulbrandsen who was listed as the winner.

A shock

Glenn looked as though he was looking so confident in his stride that Cliff Cushman of the U.S. actually looked over his shoulder as he won his heat in 51.8.

The 800 metres qualifying tests produced a shock when Ireland's Ron Delany, world record holder in the 1,500, was far outclassed and was eliminated.

In the 5,000 metres, three of the four heats were won by the Germans.

The Americans had some respectable company in their disappointment, however, Britain's once great Gordon Pirie showed he just doesn't have it any more and finished well out of it.

In the 80 metres hurdles, the Soviet women just about set up a one-two final for themselves. Irina Press was just one tenth off her world record in winning her heat in 10.6 and teammate G. Gystrova was almost as impressive in another heat. These two undoubtedly will battle it out in the finals.—AP.

OLYMPIC MEDAL STANDINGS

Rome, Aug. 31.

The Olympic medal overall standings after today's events are:

	G.	S.	B.
USSR	9	3	8
Italy	5	2	1
United States	4	7	4
Australia	4	0	2
Germany	3	10	2
Hungary	3	0	0
Rumania	1	1	2
Britain	1	0	2
Sweden	1	0	1
Denmark	1	0	1
Bulgaria	1	0	0
Japan	0	2	0
Poland	0	1	2
Belgium	0	1	1
Holland	0	1	1
UAR	0	1	0
Yugoslavia	0	1	0
Brazil	0	0	1
Mexico	0	0	1
Czechoslovakia	0	0	1
Iran	0	0	1
France	0	0	1

Snub for Owens from another German

Rome, Aug. 31.

Jesse Owens, ignored by Adolf Hitler after winning four gold medals in the 1936 Olympic Games at Berlin, received another biting snub from a German today.

Owens told a German newspaperman that he would like to meet Armin Hary, the German sprinter who has run the 100 metres in the world record time of 10 seconds flat. The newspaperman said he would arrange it.

But Hary, when approached on the matter, shrugged his shoulders disinterestedly, and said: "I'm sorry. I haven't time to fool with him."—AP.

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MEN'S 100 METRES

Second round.

(First three in each heat enter semi-finals on September 1)

Heat 1

1. H. Esteves, Venezuela, 10.5.

2. T. Robinson, Bahamas, 10.6.

3. R. Norton, USA, 10.6.

Heat 2

1. A. Hary, Germany, 10.2.

2. D. Sime, USA, 10.3.

3. M. Folk, Poland, 10.4.

Heat 3

1. F. Budd, USA, 10.4.

2. E. Figueroa, Cuba, 10.4.

3. D. Jones, Britain, 10.5.

Heat 4

1. H. Jerome, Canada, 10.4.

2. P. Radford, Britain, 10.4.

3. S. Antao, Kenya, 10.4.

MEN'S 800 METRES

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2. C. Waegli, Switzerland, 1:48.0.

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Heat 6

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Heat 10

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PREVIEW OF BRITISH SOCCER SEASON Fans demand—and may get—the best

By IVOR YORKE

The British soccer fan will have to pay more for his football in the current season, but he should get better value for money—thanks to television.

So often regarded as the enemy of spectator sport, television looks like succeeding where the might of the Football League and the persuasion of the Football Association have failed—in educating the soccer public.

Having seen the crack European sides like Real Madrid in action the home soccer fan is becoming less tolerant of kick-and-rush tactics so apparent in League games in all four divisions.

The man watching Manchester United or Millwall is learning to appreciate the more subtle art of this great game of soccer. And, as he does, club managements are realising that the cash customer would rather stay at home watching television than watch mediocre football.

Good omen

The writing was on the wall last season: true, Wolverhampton Wanderers powerhouses their way to success in the F.A. Cup and to runners-up place in the First Division, but the ascendancy of pure footballing teams like Burnley (champions), Tottenham Hotspur (third) and Blackburn Rovers (Cup runners-up) is a good omen for the future.

Burnley, who last time pounced from behind to snatch the title from Wolves' noses, may not be as successful again. Though they have one of the world's best inside-forwards in Jimmy McIlroy, the Lancashire club will probably be thrown out of their stride by teams anxious to lower the champions' colours.

That every game becomes a "Cup-tie" when a team are League Champions is nearer the truth than many people realise. Burnley succeeded because they kept more or less out of the limelight while Wolves and Tottenham received the full glare of publicity.

Challengers

What happened? Tottenham, after playing some of the finest constructive football of the season, lost to teams they should have thrashed. Wolves, fancied to do the Cup and League double, relinquished the league and might have lost the Cup but for an injury to one of their Cup Final opponents.

But while I do not expect Burnley to make the running in 1960-61, there is every possibility that two more of the purist band will join Spurs in the fight for the League title. They are Everton and Aston Villa, two clubs with great traditions. Everton came mighty close to relegation last season, but were saved by lavish spending with an open cheque book. Little Bobby Collins, Tommy Ring and Jimmy Gabriel will infuse Scottish subtlety into the Toffers' football, while local product Brian Labone is a future England prospect at centre-half.

Aston Villa, too, seem to have just the right blend of smoothness and power to carry on the

16 FINAL ACCEPTORS FOR ST. LEGER

London, Aug. 31. The final acceptances for the St. Leger, the last of the English "Classic" races, to be run at Doncaster on Saturday, September 10 were published today.

Of the original 411 entries for the race, 10 have accepted for the race, total value of which is £35,970.

Of the final 16 acceptors, two are trained in Ireland, one in France and one acceptor from America.

The actual net value to the winner, after deduction of entrance and acceptance fees, will be £20,874-10-0, the second £2,597 and the third £1,798-10-0.

Several riding engagements for the race have still to be completed, but the following comprise the final acceptors and their probable jockeys: Oak Ridge (E. Hido), Vienna (C. Gosling), Arctic Ben (no jockey yet), Sparrow Green (no jockey yet), Die Hard (G. Bougoure), St. Paddy (L. Piggott), Sunny Way (no jockey yet), Kipling (G. Lewis), Chrysler (J. Mercer), Anaram (H. Fletcher), Primor, Hans Andersen, Mr. Pharoah, Off Foy, Balaclava and Rye Rascel (all with no jockey yet). All carry nine stone.—China Mail Special.

Golf tuition for HK officials in UK



A party of five officials from Hongkong recently spent a month in the United Kingdom as guests of the Colonial Office and under arrangements made by the Central Office of Information. They were accompanied by Mr. H. F. G. Chauvin, Labour Officer, Hongkong. The party comprised: Mr. Solomon Rafeek, Vice-Chairman, Executive Committee, Happy Valley and Canal Road Kalfong Association; Mr. Chau Yau, Executive Committee, Central District Kalfong Association; Mr. Chung Kuan-ling, President, Shaikwan Kalfong Association; Mr. Lee Wan-yuen, Chairman, Executive Committee, Wanchai Kalfong Association; and Mr. Gan Gook-ang, Vice-President, North Point Kalfong Association. During their tour the officials visited the Inverclyde Recreation Centre of the Scottish Council of Physical Recreation. In this picture Mr. Lee, Mr. Rafeek, Mr. Chau and Mr. Chauvin receive some tuition from the golfer Mr. F. Bullock, while Mr. John Blain, the Warden at Inverclyde, looks on with the other members of the party.

Reading from left to right are: Mr. John Blain, Warden of the Inverclyde Recreation Centre; Mr. F. Bullock, a golfer; Mr. Lee Wan-yuen, Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Wanchai Kalfong Association; Mr. Solomon Rafeek, Vice-Chairman of the Happy Valley and Canal Road Kalfong Association; Mr. Chau Yau, member of Executive Committee of the Central District Kalfong Association and Major H. F. G. Chauvin, Labour Officer of the Hongkong Government.—CPI photo.

Liverpool, Sheffield, United, Middlesbrough and Huddersfield—all of whom were promotion challengers last time.

Middlesbrough look the best bet. They have a great opportunist in England centre-forward Brian Clough, scorer of 40 league and cup goals last season. He is just the man to lead Middlesbrough triumphantly back into the top sphere.

Newly-promoted clubs, Norwich City and Southampton may also provide keen competition. Southampton have two fine young wingers in Terry Paine and John Sydenham—both of whom received representative

honours last season—who are good enough to trouble most defences.

The Third Division presents its usual intriguing problem. There are better teams in this tournament than the experts imagine and the southern clubs in particular provide a type of football to satisfy even the most critical.

Wide open

The coming season's championship is wide open and could go to any of a dozen clubs capable of playing the hectic pace of a 48-match competition and avoiding injuries which can be fatal to their chances.

The Fourth Division is fast becoming exclusively made up

of those clubs who previously comprised the old Third Division (northern) Section. No less than 17 northern-based sides will play in the 1960-61 tournament, along with six from the south and the first new league club since 1951-52, Peterborough United.

Basically, 1960-61 should see the continued slight rise in the standard of League football. Whether the newly-inaugurated League Cup has any adverse effects remains to be seen. One thing certain is that, despite official discouragement, continued matches with Continental clubs can serve only to raise the standard even further.

COUNTY CRICKET

MIDDLESEX IN TROUBLE AGAINST WORCESTER

London, Aug. 31.

Ken Howard, a 19-year-old off-spinner making his debut for Lancashire, steered the county out of trouble against Sussex at Blackpool today.

His "bug" of four wickets for nine runs in 8.3 overs—five of them maidens—helped rattle Sussex out for 77 after Lancashire had been dismissed for 154.

Middlesex, who need victory to become runners-up in the championship, are not so well placed at Lord's. Worcestershire put them in, and with Doug Slade taking seven for 47—the best figures of his career—Middlesex were out for 143.

Worcestershire required 49 for the lead with six wickets left.

Scores

Close of play scores in today's cricket matches were:

At Taunton: Hampshire 18 for one. Versus Somerset. Rain curtailed play.

At Scarborough: MCC 156 for nine. Versus Yorkshire. Rain curtailed play.

At Hastings: South Africans 238. A.E.R. Gilligan XI 98 for one.

At Clacton: Essex 248 for nine declared (W. Green Smith 11, E. Knight 42 not out). Warwickshire 11 for one.

At Lord's: Middlesex 143 (D. Slade seven for 4). Worcestershire 98 for four.

At Blackpool: Lancashire 154 and seven for no wicket. Sussex 77 (K. Howard four for nine, K. Higgs four for 20).

At Dover: Leicestershire 208 (D. Halford five for 55). Kent 29 for no wicket.

At Nottingham: Glamorgan 218 (A. Jones 55). Nottinghamshire 20 for no wicket.—Reuter.

Champagne Stakes

Doncaster Cup acceptors

London, Aug. 31.

Seventeen second acceptors for the Champagne Stakes to be run at Doncaster over six furlongs on Wednesday, September 7, are:

China Clipper, Le Prince, Capabaco, Royal Sallie, Pardo, Foxster, Henry the Seventh, Hot Brandy, Royal Penant, King's Son, Captain Trial, Prosecutor, Kings of Sabu, War Dancer, Good Old Days, Fair Redress. All carry 9 stone.

Ten first acceptors with weights for the Doncaster Cup, to be run over two miles and a quarter at Doncaster on Thursday, September 8 are:

Prefontaine and Primavera (nine stone nine pounds), Exar (9.7), Come to Daddy, Brasidas and Bon Diable (9.0), Sunny Court (9.4), Jangleur (8.13), King Size (8.11), and Hunch (7.10).—China Mail Special.

Gilligan's XI hit 96 for one in reply to Springboks' 238

Hastings, Aug. 31.

Arthur Gilligan's XI today wound up the first day of their three-day festival match 142 runs behind South Africa with nine wickets standing.

Earlier, Tony Pithey and Colin Wesley came to the Springboks' rescue after their opening pair, Jackie McClen and Trevor Giddard, had been dismissed for 19. Les Jackson captured both wickets in five overs for five runs.

Wesley punished the more friendly bowling of John Mortimore and Derek Morgan, and hit eight fours in an attractive innings of 61 out of 89 in 70 minutes.

Pithey, who was seventh out, stayed nearly three hours for 70. He was the first of Morgan's four victims in a spell of 38 deliveries, and the tourists were dismissed for 238.

In the remaining 100 minutes their opponents replied with 98 for one.

Martin Young went with only nine on the board, but the West Indian Test player Rohan Kanhai recovered after a slinky start to score 50 out of an unfinished stand of 87 with Michael Norman by the close.—Reuter.

CHESS

by LEONARD BARDEN

Of the most successful plans against the fashionable Sicilian Defence is to post the king's bishop at Q3 and then advance the KBP so as to open up a diagonal for it. Here is a game from the Bogner tournament (Darga v. Gannell) which is a classic example of White's strategy. 1 P-K4, P-QB4; 2 Kt-KB3, P-Q3; 3 P-Q4, P-Q4; 4 Kt-Q3, Kt-KB3; 5 Kt-QB3, P-Q3; 6 B-QB4, P-Q3; 7 P-QB3, Kt-KB3; 8 B-R2, Castles; 9 Castles, Q-B2; 10 P-B4, P-QKt; 11 P-B5, P-Q4; 12 Kt-Q4, Kt-Q3; 13 Kt-Q3, Kt-Q4; 14 P-K3, Kt-K3; 15 K-R1, Q-R-Q1; 16 Kt-R5 (hindering Black from gaining counterplay with P-Q4), Kt-Q3; 17 Q-Kt, B-K1; 18 Q-B3, P-R3; 19 Q-R4, Kt-R2; 20 P-B8, P-Kt3; 21 P-B3, P-Q4; 22 R-R3, P-KR4; 23 Q-Kt5, R-KR1; 24 R-P ch1, Resigns. Solution No. 288: 1 Kt-Q2 (threat 2 Q-Q4) 2 P-Kt; 3 P-B4, or 1... B-Kt4; 2 Q-Q4.

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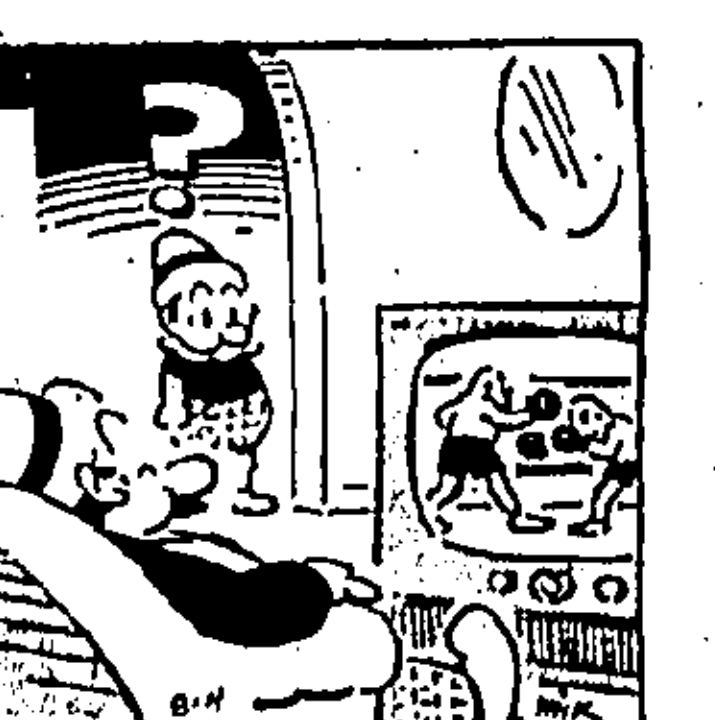
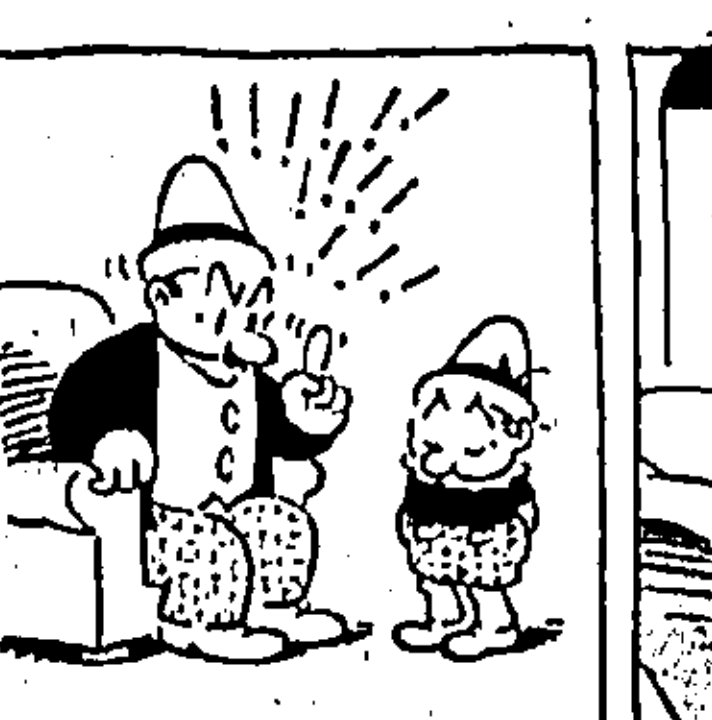
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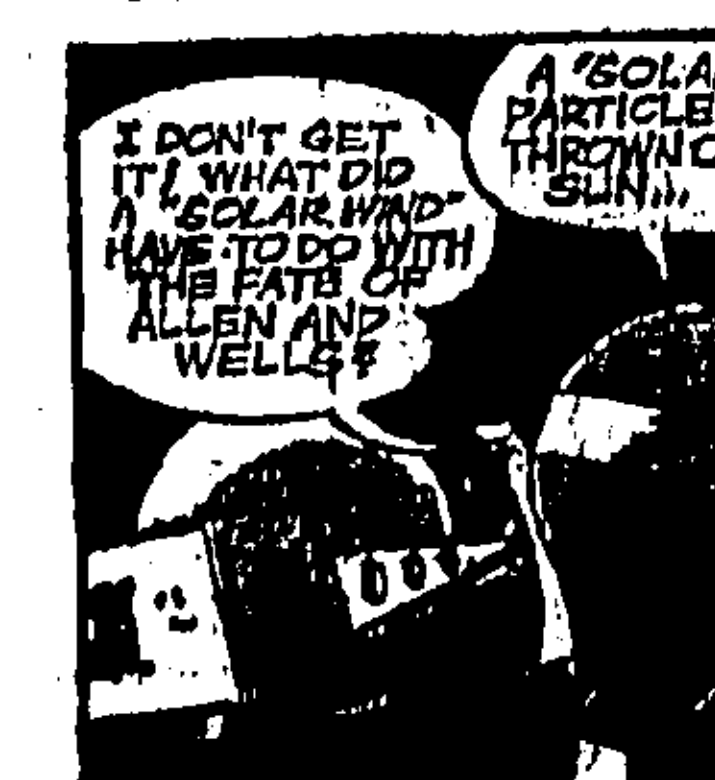
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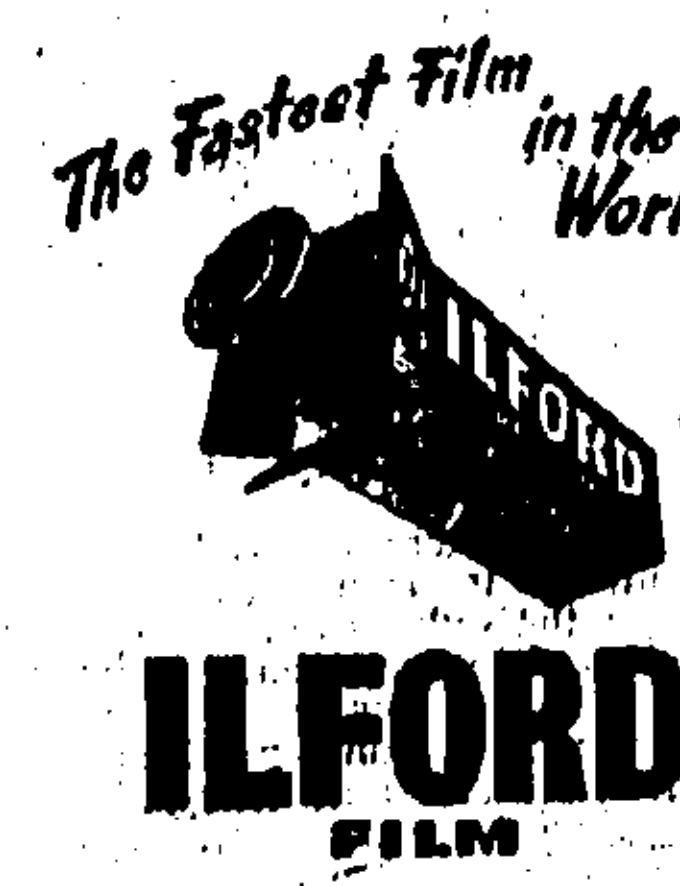
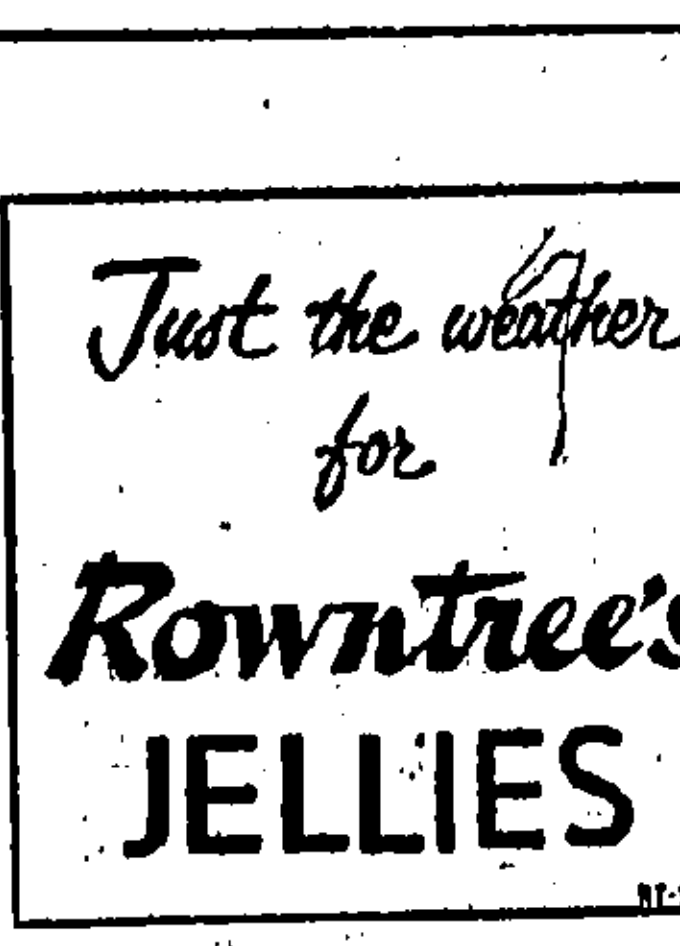
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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 1960.

Big development scheme sponsored by U.S.

1,000 HK FAMILIES MAY GO TO BRAZIL

A group of American investors are planning to send 1,000 Chinese families from Hongkong to Brazil for a big development scheme.

Mr Robert Derr, Chairman of the Kowloon Chamber of Commerce, who disclosed the plan, said the American financiers had the support of both the American and Brazilian governments.



(Left to right) Mr. Robert Derr, Mr. I. H. Kuo and Mr. K. C. Wong at today's opening ceremony.—China Mail photo.

The Brazilian Government had granted the U.S. investment group a big area of land—about 1,500,000 acres near a river basin in eastern Brazil.

The land was said to be very fertile and good for plantation.

Long term

The plan of the financial group called for migration of 500 to 1,000 Chinese families of five members each from Hongkong to eastern Brazil.

The reason given for selecting families instead of single men was that they would go down to Brazil for long-term settlement.

The first batches should be technicians with civil engineering experience. They would go to work on construction of buildings of living quarters for later settlement.

Further batches would consist of labourers for farming.

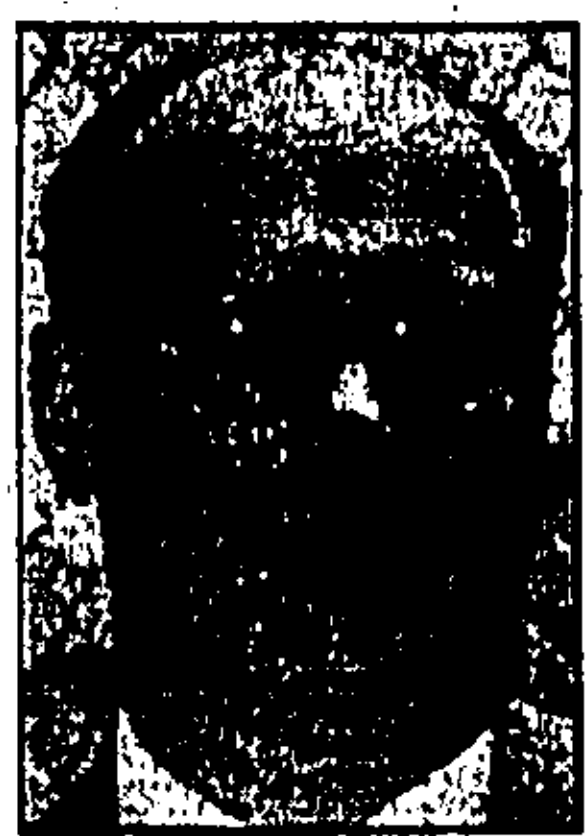
Self-sufficient

The river basin area was needed for agricultural development first, and then industrial development.

In time it was hoped the land would be self-sufficient.

The investors are not expecting any big return of profit until years later.

The financial group would also be willing to advance money for passages and living expenses for the early months. The money will be later deducted from the immigrants' salaries.



HK OFFICIAL TO ATTEND ECONOMIC TALKS IN UK

Hong Kong's Deputy Financial Secretary, Mr. J. J. Cowperthwaite, will attend the coming meeting of the Commonwealth Economic Consultative Council as adviser attached to the United Kingdom delegation.

This was announced by a Government spokesman this morning.

The meeting will open in London on September 20 and last two days.

It will enable Commonwealth ministers to make their usual periodic review of financial and economic matters of interest to the Commonwealth.

Subjects to be discussed will include the prospects for world trade, sterling area balance of payments, European trade problems and development questions.

BARBER WHO HAD FLICK KNIFE WARNED

A 23-year-old barber, Ngai Kwong who was found in possession of a 3 1/2-inch flick knife was cautioned by Mr Haydon at Kowloon Court this morning.

Sub-Inspector L. W. Elias said that at 11 pm on August 30 defendant was stopped by a police constable at Nathan-road near Pitts-street. He was holding a canvas bag.

The police constable searched him and the knife was found on him.

Under caution defendant admitted that the knife was his; that he had bought the knife in April for \$5.90 and had used it in his work as a barber.

APPEAL BY BLIND HARMONICA PLAYER IS REJECTED

The Acting Chief Justice, Mr Justice J. R. Gregg in the Appeals Court said this morning that beggars could always go to the social welfare organisation for relief.

"No person can starve here," he added.

He made the remarks when he dismissed an appeal by a 30-year-old blind beggar, Tang Tak-sing, against conviction and a sentence of 12 months for begging for alms by playing a harmonica.

Tung, Mr Justice Gregg observed, had 30 previous convictions for begging for alms.

36 convictions

Explaining his previous convictions, Tang denied he was begging for alms and said that he was playing the harmonica to tell the people that he was a musician and was making a living.

"You have 36 similar previous convictions—not just one or two, but 36," Mr Justice Gregg said. "You were sentenced this time to 12 months, which is a long time, under the circumstances, very well deserved."

BOUGHT GIRL TO PEDDLE DRUGS

A 46-year-old housewife who bought a seven-year-old girl to peddle drugs was sentenced to a year's jail by Mr Haydon at Kowloon Court this morning.

Leung Yee-mui pleaded guilty to the charge. Detective inspector Cheng Chin-bun said that the defendant bought the girl in 1956 at Tsing I Island for \$170.

Since then the defendant has been using the girl to peddle narcotics for her. The girl was present in court this morning.

WELL-DRESSED BABY SITTER IS COMPLIMENTED

"I must say Madam, you dress extremely well on \$100 a month," said Tenancy Tribunal President, Mr B. V. Rhodes, this morning.

He was speaking to Mrs Yip Wai-hing, one of the 23 tenants who were opposing an application for the exemption of 302, 364, Prince Edward-road, Kai Tak.

Mr Rhodes made the remark when Mrs Yip told him she supported herself, her unemployed husband and a 13-year-old son on the \$100 a month she made from baby-sitting.

She was wearing a blue figured cheongsam, large floral earrings and white shoes. Mr D. A. L. Wright, instructed by Mr K. Y. Yung of F. Zimmermann and Company, appeared for the applicants Mr Leung Shun-ye, and Mr Leung Fong-in.

They intend to erect a six-storeyed building on the site at a cost of \$300,000. The building will contain six shops and 30 flats.

The other members of the Tribunal are Mr C. H. W. Robertson and Mrs Tsung Tso Lai-kee.

Leopoldville, Aug. 31. An airliner working for the United Nations crashed into the crocodile-infested Congo river last night—but only one of the 14 passengers and crew was injured.

The nine Egyptian crew and five passengers were rescued by a passing Congolese tug-boat.—Reuter.



GENERAL BASTYAN RETIRES

London, Aug. 31. Lieutenant-General Sir Edric Montague Bastyan, 57, who played a major part in planning the Burma campaign in World War II, retired yesterday, the London Gazette announced.

From June to November 1944 he was brigadier of 8th Army Headquarters in Italy. Until March 1946 he was Major-General in charge of administration, Allied Land Forces, South East Asia.

In July 1957 after being Vice-Adjutant-General at the War Office he was appointed Commander British Forces, Hongkong.—Reuter.

Bond for taking \$26 from boss

Kwan Chi-keung, 19, of 100 Johnston-road, ground floor, charged with fraudulent conversion, was put under probation for three years by Mr E. Corbally at Central Court this morning.

Kwan was employed by the Dhanomall Company at 23 Hollywood-road.

He admitted at a previous hearing that on August 23 he spent \$26 out of the \$300 his employer had given him to buy stamps on cinema, dinner and deposit for two new pairs of trousers.

He was arrested at midnight the same day. Sub-Inspector T. Y. Ip prosecuted.

From the Files

25 years AGO

September 1935

The death has occurred in London of Mr David Landale, a former head of the firm of Jardine Matheson and Co Ltd.

Mr Landale was the son of a parson and rose to be captain of the Princesly Hong.

He was also a member of the Legislative Council. He came to Hongkong at the beginning of the nineties and lived in Hongkong.

He was admitted a partner in Jardines in 1904. He is remembered as a keen racing enthusiast and was one of the stewards of the Jockey Club.

He is commemorated in the naming of Landale Street, which leads from Queen's Road East to the Wanchai praya.

THE waterfront portion of Chatham Road has been an eyesore for Kowloon residents in that area between the old children's playground and the corner opposite Signal Hill.

The eyesore is to be no more, for the PWD plans to beautify the area and work is already well in hand. The land is in front of Harbour View, Kent Mansions and other private hotels and is to be developed on the lines of a boulevard.

Pathways are to be constructed and turf laid. Flower beds will also be worked in design. It is understood that trees are to be planted and benches provided.

Work has commenced on the erection of an open air rock garden in the south-western corner of the Southern Playground at Wanchai, thus providing amenities for the older members of the Wanchai population.

A CANTON report says that since the enforcement of the prohibition on modern and undesirable female clothes, inspectors of the Bureau of Public Safety have made a search of the various women's dressmaking shops in different parts of the city.

There are about 1,150 female dressmaking shops and from these 143 undesirable dresses have been confiscated by the inspectors as a result of a search since September 1.

Most of the confiscated dresses are of ultra-modern style, illuminating and extravagant.

They will be publicly burnt later.

New store for Chinese arts and crafts

A superb display of Chinese artistic skills attracted a crowd of connoisseurs and buyers this morning to the newly-opened gallery of Chinese Arts and Crafts (HK) Ltd. in Shell House.

All the goods shown are from China and the policy of this modern store is to provide something for all tastes and purses.

It is obvious from the cool, white, antique bowl—a collector's piece worth as much as a modern flat in Hongkong—to the bright jewels, gleaming brocades and intricately worked embroidery, that the Chinese artistic genius is very much alive today.

The strongly accentuated Chinese flavour of the goods attracted a contrastingly international clientele. The greatest crowds of women customers were to be found round the jewellery counters and the brocades of new design, while the men gazed at the rare jade and quartz carvings.

This modern emporium of furniture, carpets and handicrafts will enable both the visitor to Hongkong and local buyers to wander at ease round the well-lit ground floor showroom and choose from a myriad Chinese wares—just the thing they are looking for at a competitive price.

Men of USS Noble give their blood

Officers and men of the USS Noble at present here on leave donated 26 pints of blood to the British Red Cross, Fung House, this morning.

LONDON TO GET THE REAL CHOW

A 12-year-old boy left the Colony today to join his father in London in a campaign to introduce "genuine Chinese chow" to the British.

The boy is Sik On-ly, who left Kai Tak for London by Air India.

A big crowd of relatives and friends headed by well known local businessman Dexter Yeh, farewelled the young boy.

Sik revealed before he left that his father who recently arrived in London has started an authentic Chinese restaurant in Kensington called the "Ding Ho."

"I think dad may have had a little trouble at first getting his customers used to the Hongkong style food," Sik said before his departure.

"Anyway when I arrive I'll do my best to help him make the real Chinese chow popular," he added.

Japanese display at Man Yee building

Twenty-eight Japanese wholesale haberdashers are displaying 4,000 samples of their products at a two-day exhibition that opened in the Man Yee Building this morning.

The exhibition is being held in the offices of the Japanese External Trade Recovery Organisation.

It is sponsored jointly by Jetro and the Federation of Toyo Haberdashery Manufacturers.

The wholesalers arrived here on Sunday to represent their firms at the exhibition. Displayed were items ranging from heavy woolen jumpers and women's petticoats to neck ties and belt clasps.

POP By Gog

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